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ABSTRACT

The payloads carried by the first four Titan Centaur Launch Vehicle Flights were, a Viking Spacecraft Dynamic Simulator, the Helios-1 Spacecraft and the two Viking Spacecraft. A wealth of dynamic loads data was accumulated by the NASA Viking Project Office from these four flights for application to the Viking Spacecraft. This report contains a compilation of that data and is presented for reference and information. The data has been compiled into the following five Volumes:

- Volume I - Acoustic Data (NASA CR-144944)
- Volume II - Vibration Power Spectral Density Data (NASA CR-144945)
- Volume III - Shock Spectra of Transients (NASA CR-144946)
- Volume IV - Titan Stage I and Centaur Burn Oscillation (NASA CR-144947)
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Notations Used in Volume II

- Bus - Major structural assembly of Viking Orbiter -
see Figure 3.1
- Max Q - Period of launch flight of maximum dynamic pressure
- PSD - Power spectral density, vibration, g^2/Hertz
- VDS - Viking Dynamic Simulator, TC-1 payload
- VLC - Viking Lander Capsule
- VLCA - Viking Lander Capsule Adapter
- VO - Viking Orbiter
- VS/C - Viking Spacecraft
- V-S/C-A - Viking Spacecraft Adapter
- TC-1 - The Titan Centaur Launch Vehicle Number 1
- TC-2 - The Titan Centaur Launch Vehicle Number 2, Helios
Spacecraft
- TC-3 - The Titan Centaur Launch Vehicle Number 3, Second
Viking Spacecraft Launch
- TC-4 - The Titan Centaur Launch Vehicle Number 4, First Viking
Spacecraft Launch

VOLUME II

VIBRATION PSD OF LAUNCH AND MAX Q FLIGHT DATA

SECTION I

SUMMARY DATA

Volume II presents Power Spectral Density analyses of vibration measurements made on the spacecraft section of the first, third and fourth launch flights of the Titan Centaur Launch Vehicles. The spacecraft carried were the Viking Dynamic Simulator (VDS), and the first and second Viking Spacecraft. The data is for two locations on the spacecraft: (1) the center of gravity of the Viking Lander Capsule, and (2) several points on the Viking Orbiter Bus. The Viking Lander Capsule c.g. data was obtained through transformations of adapter strain gage measurements and contains data in the 0-40 Hertz frequency band. The Bus data is from both crystal and servo accelerometers and provides data in the 0-2000 Hertz range. The Bus is the primary structural assembly of the Viking Orbiter and the data is more representative of structure response rather than component response. All of the data was telemetered on IRIG Proportional Subcarrier Bands, however nonstandard filtering was used in playback to enhance the frequency content of the data.

Volume II is contained in four sections.

Section 1 summarizes all of the data into composite and envelope PSD plots.

Section 2 contains individual PSD plots and associated time histories from the first launch, carrying the Viking Dynamic Simulator.

Section 3 and 4 contain the individual data from the two Viking Spacecraft.

Measurement locations, telemetry channel assignments, filter usage and measurement identification notations are contained in Sections 2, 3 and 4 with the respective spacecraft.

All of the data processing contained in this report was performed at the Langley Research Center by the Analysis and Computations Division and their contractors. The computer program used for the PSD is the NASA Langley Signal Analysis Program (Reference 1). The program uses Blackman-Tukey-Fast Fourier Transform techniques.

Reference 1. Keisler, S. R., Langley Signal Analysis Program.
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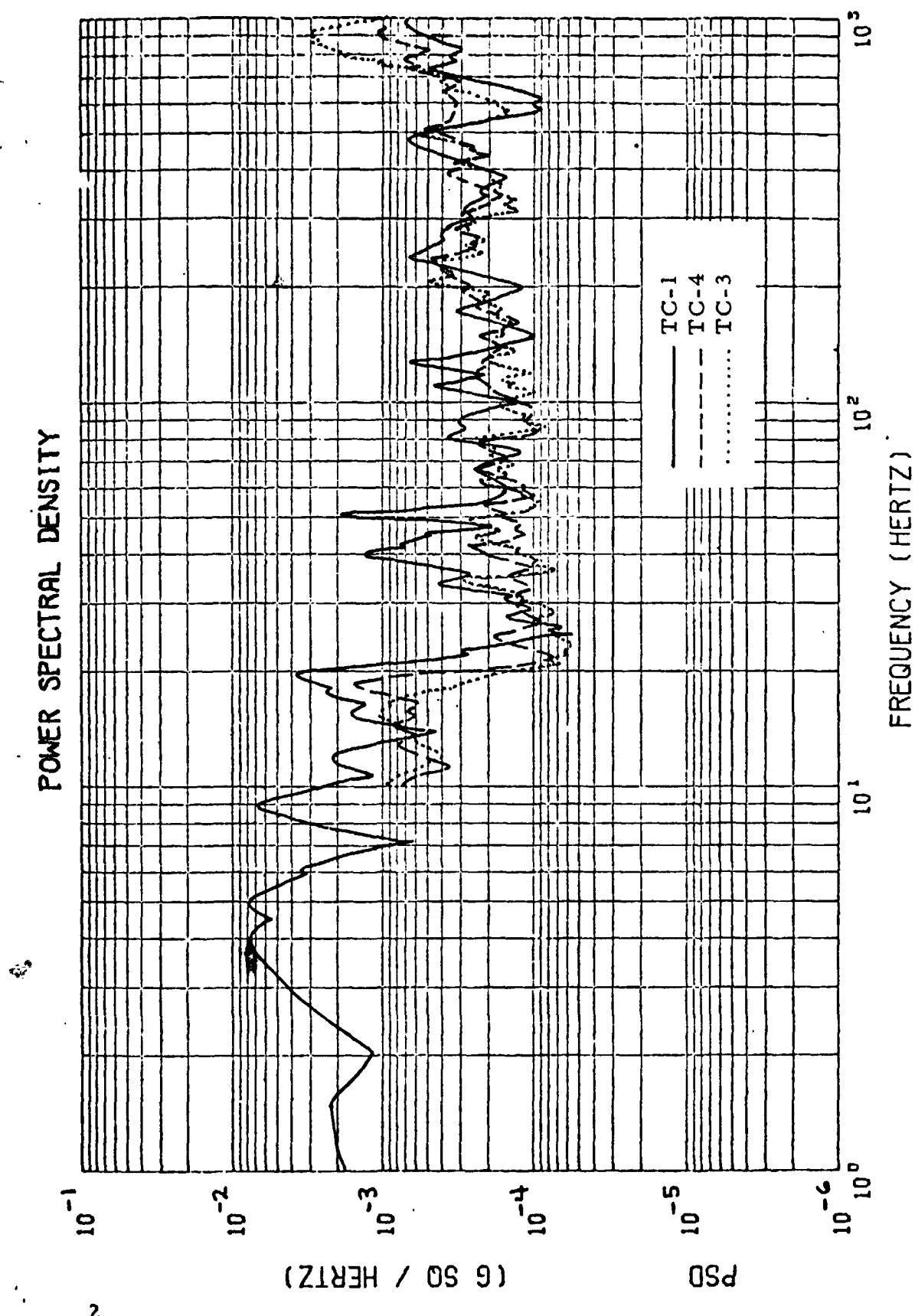


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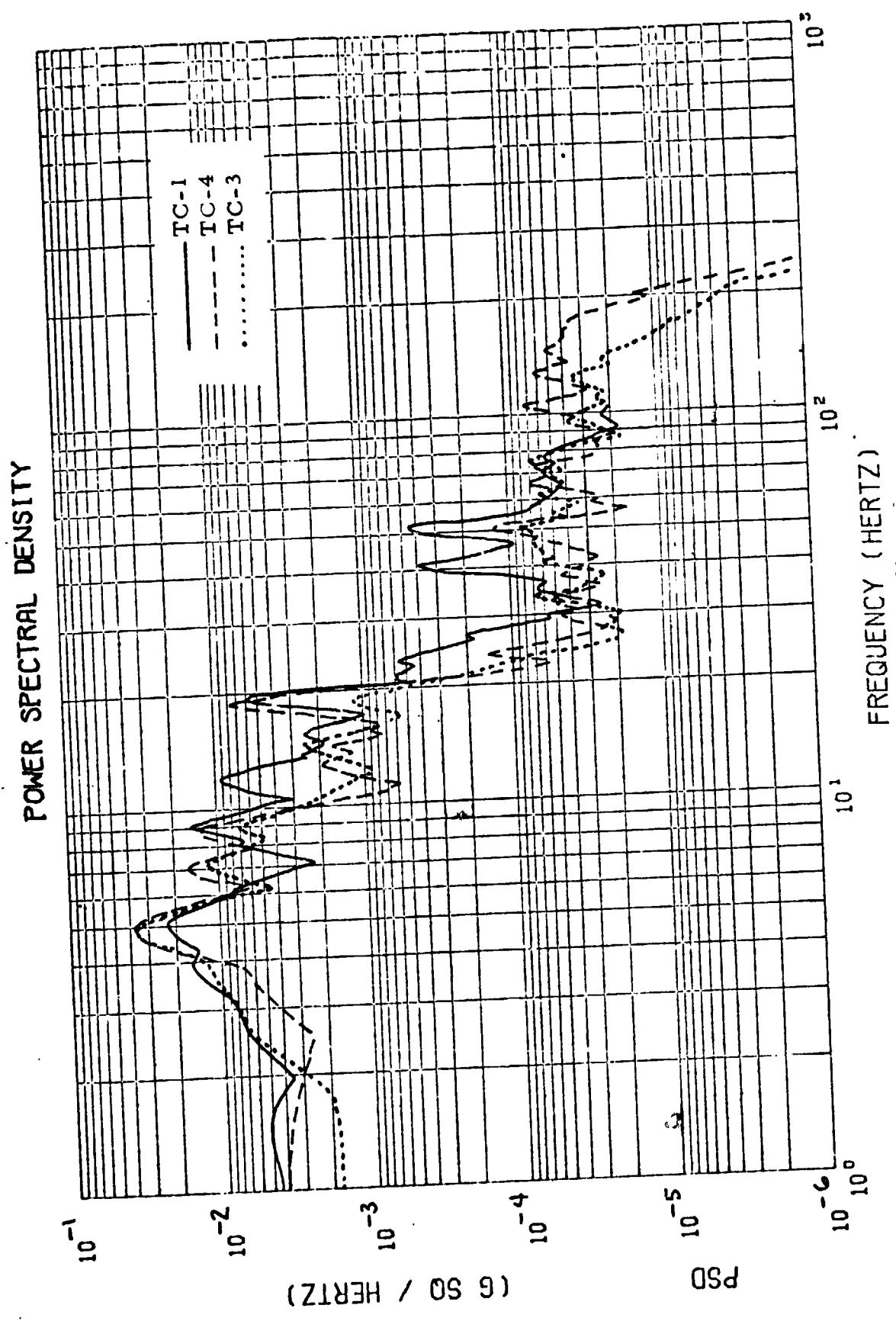


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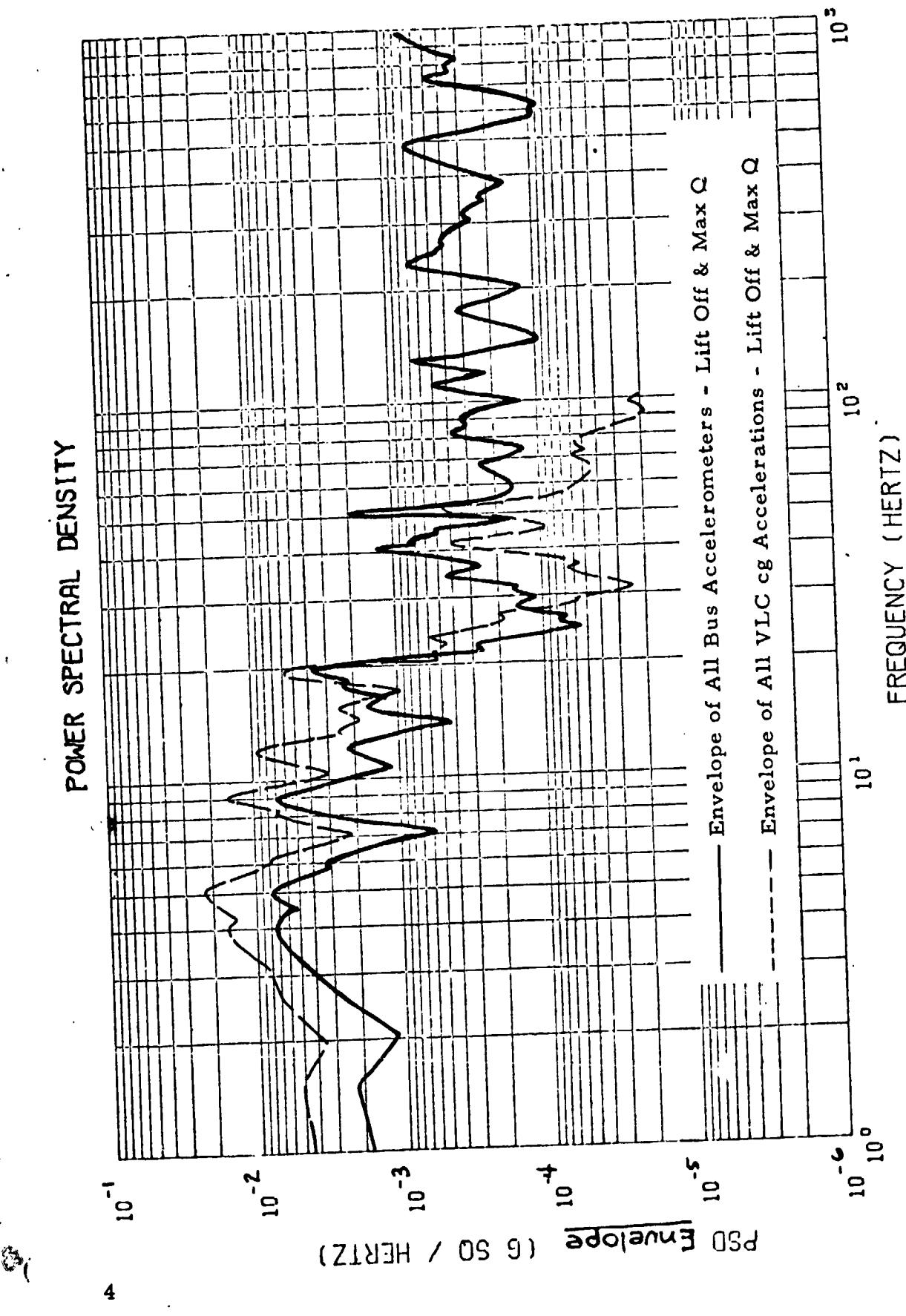
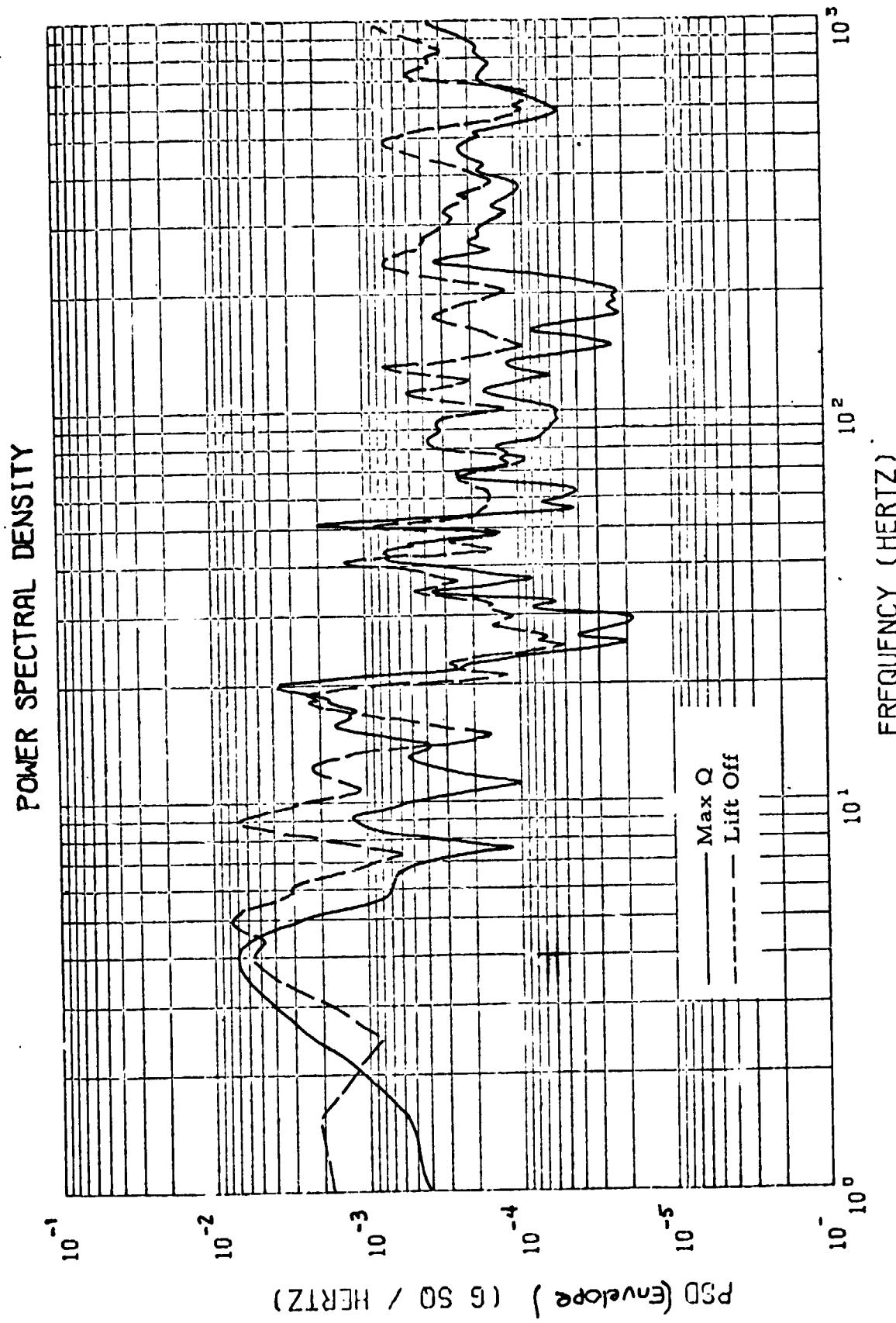
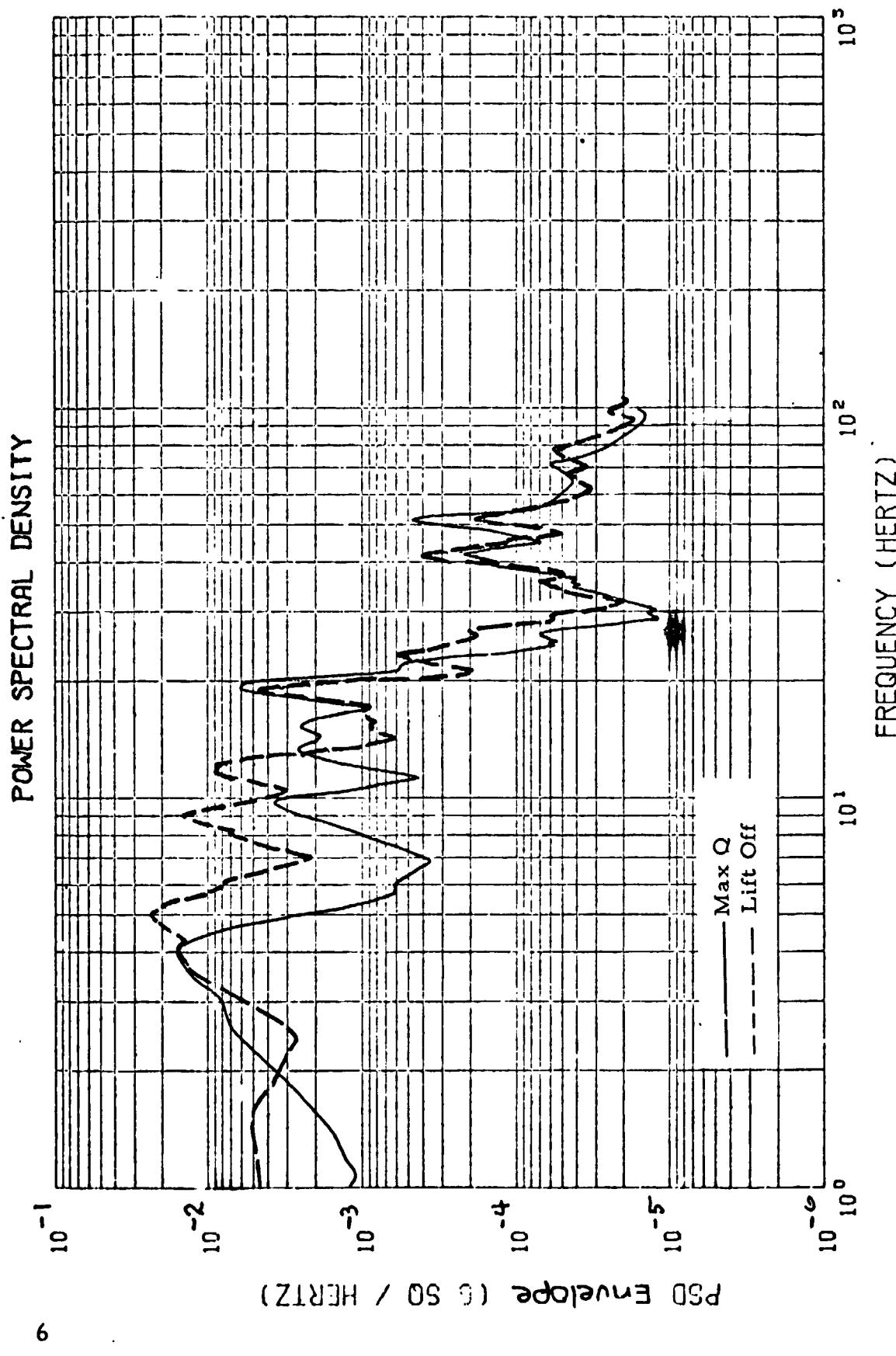


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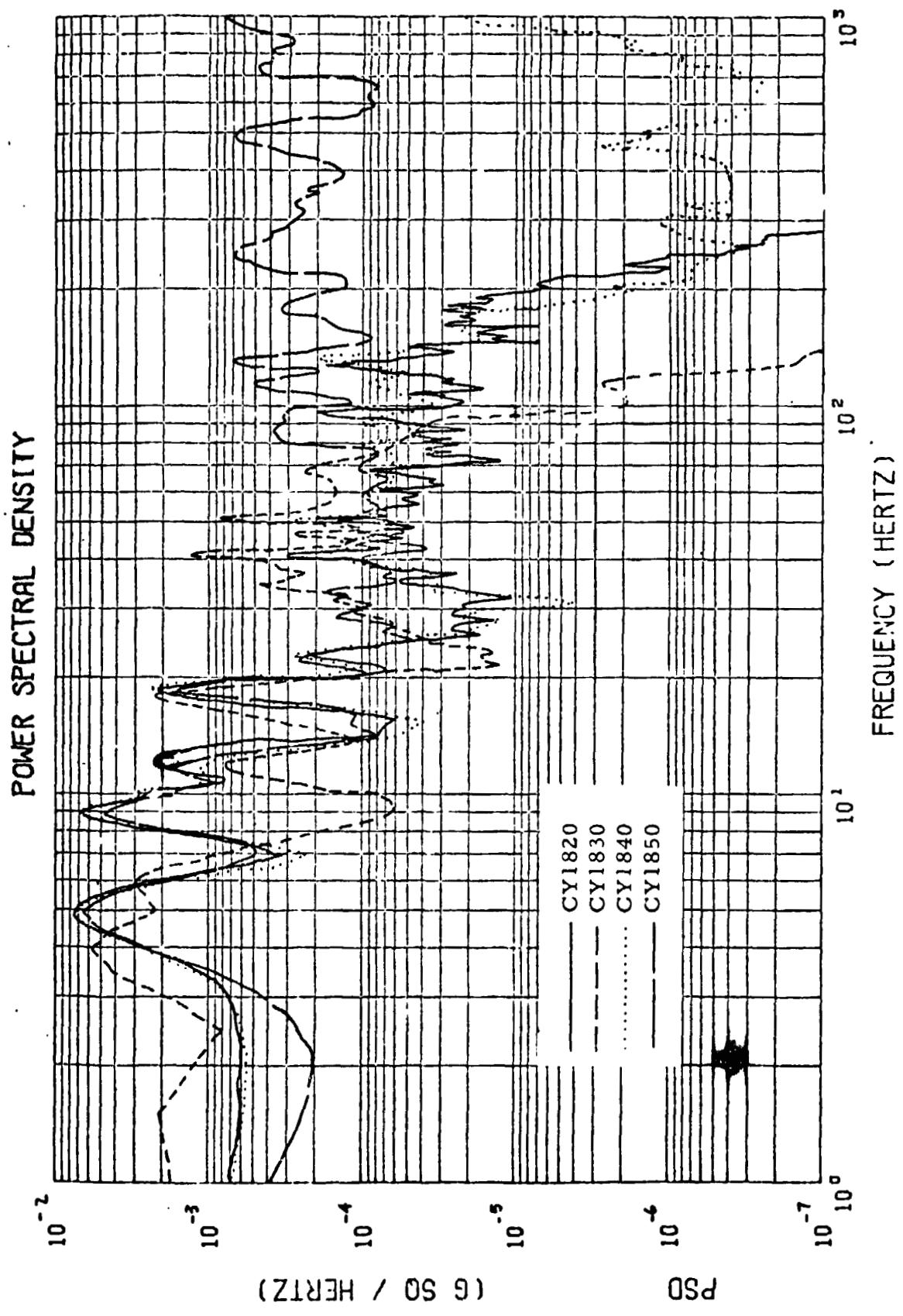


Envelopes of Composite Lift Off & Composite Max Q
Figure 1.4 TC-1 VDS Data - Envelopes of Bus Accelerometers



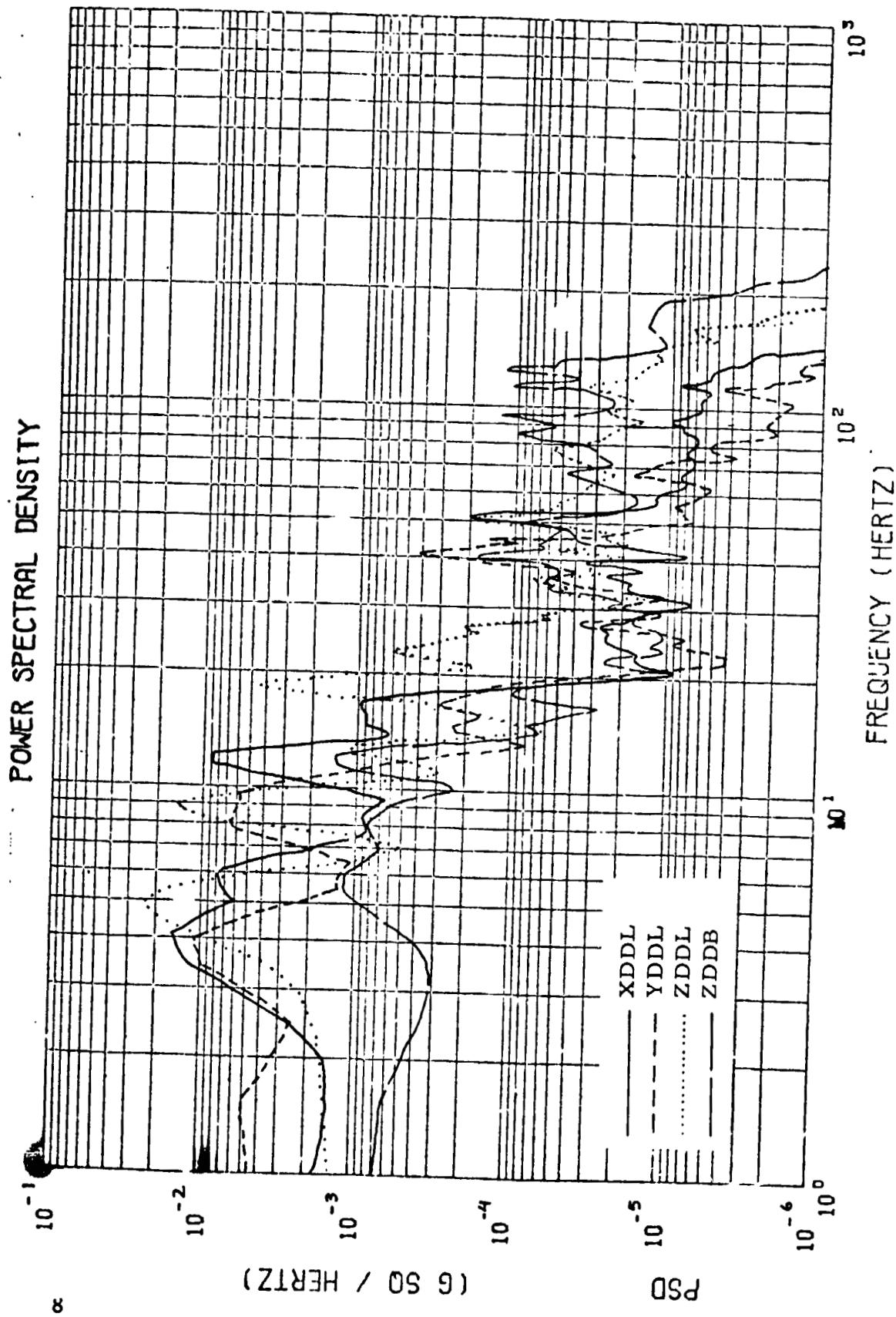
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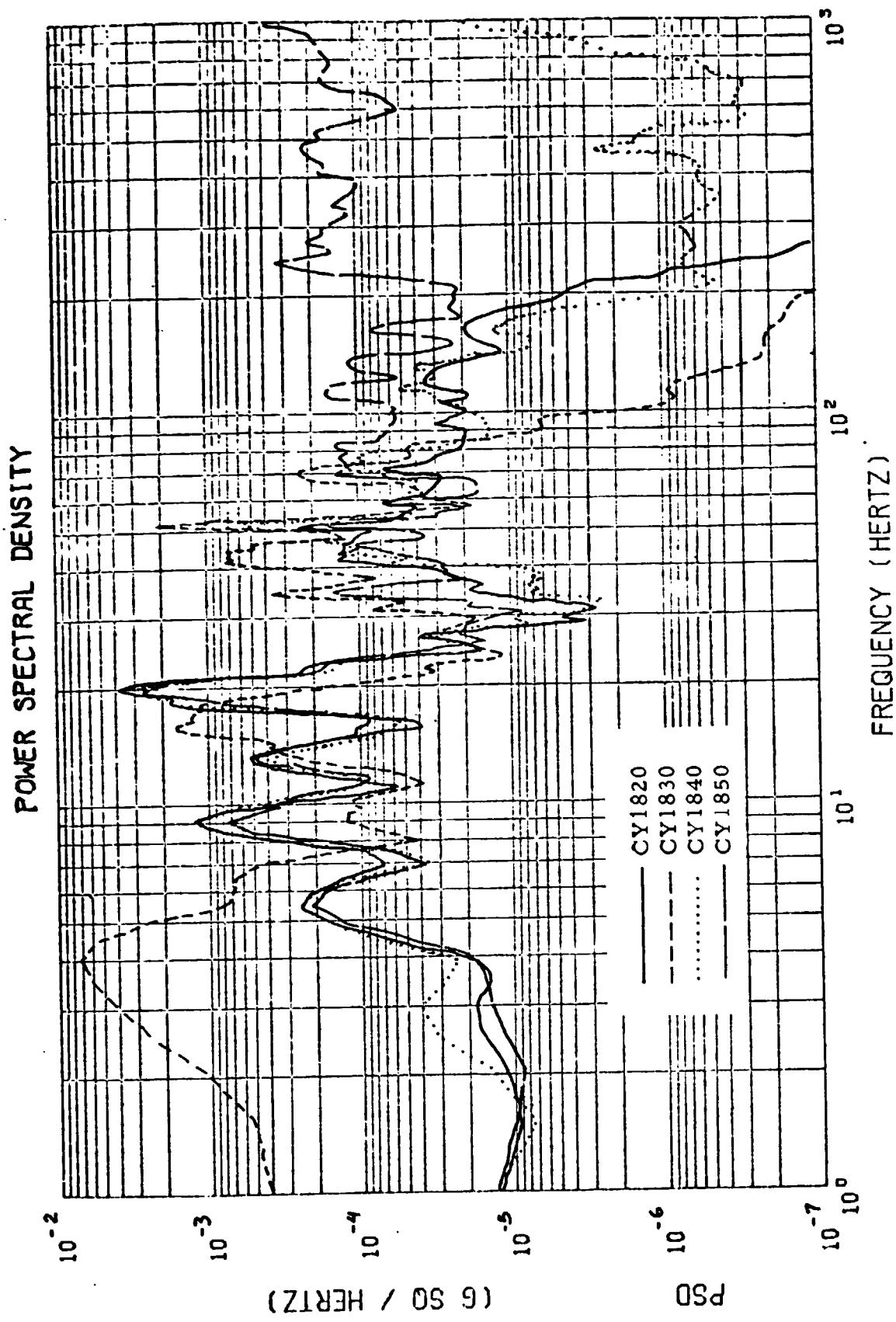
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Figure 1.6 Envelopes of Stage 0 Ignition PSD's



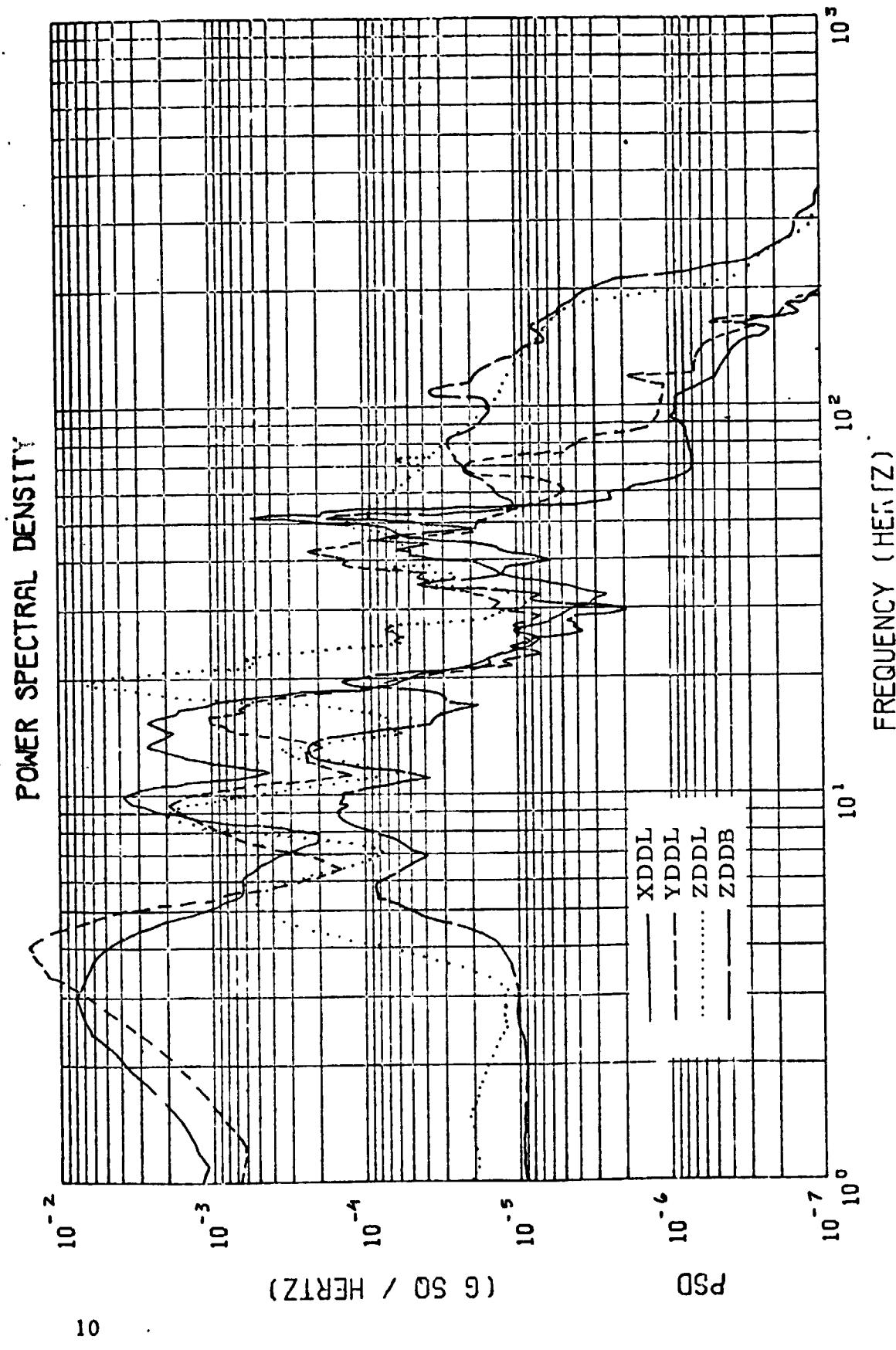
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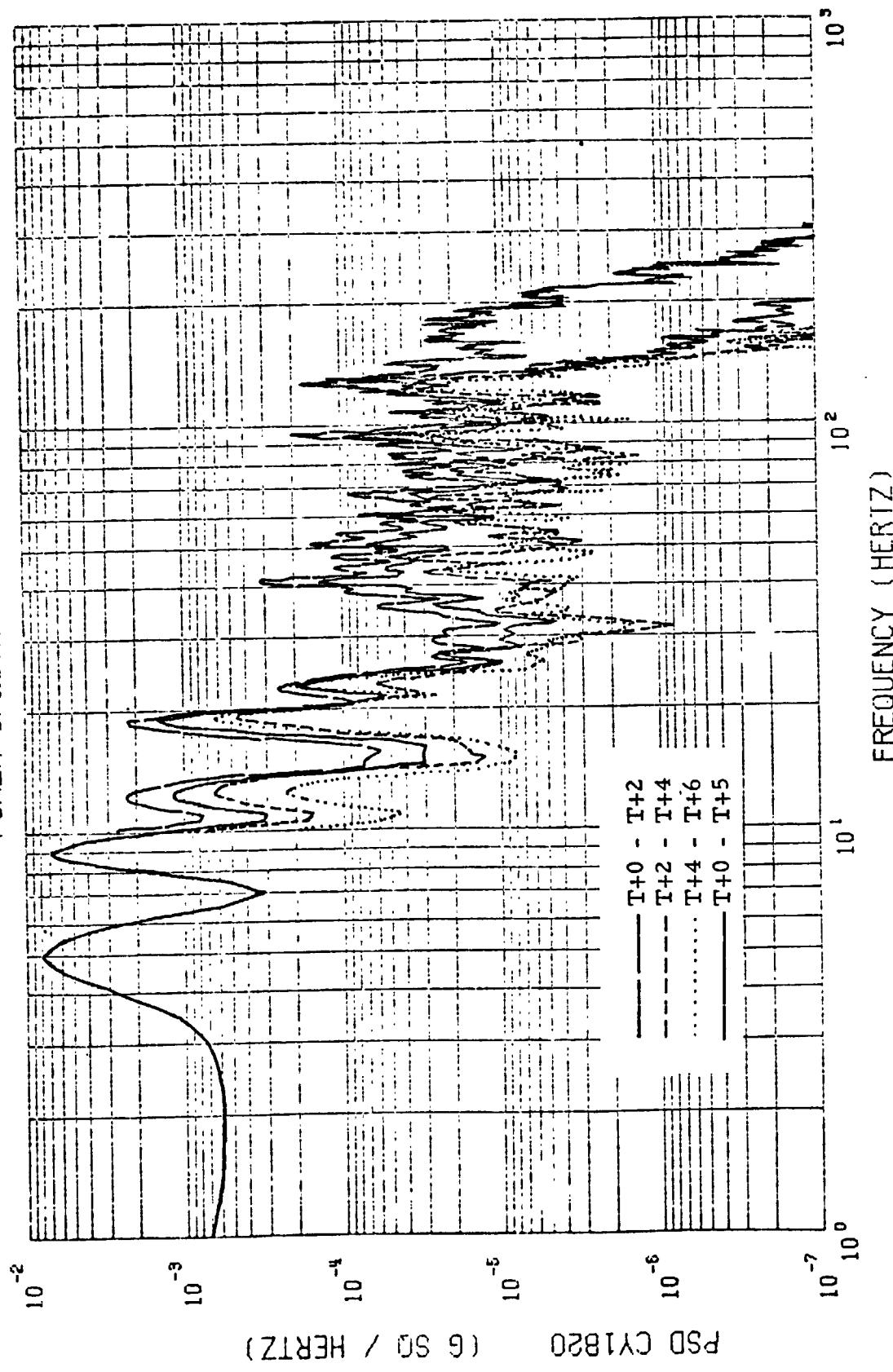
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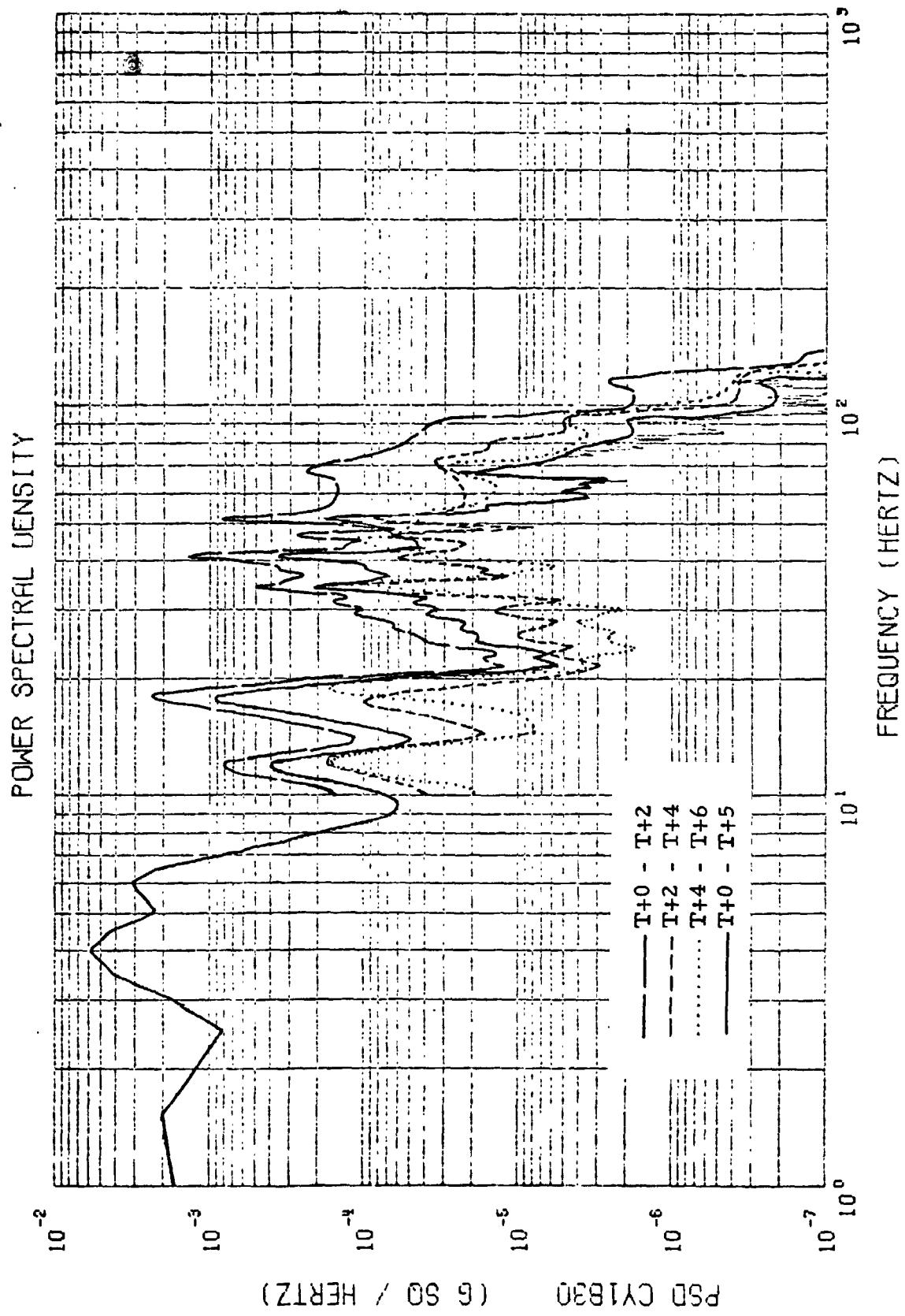


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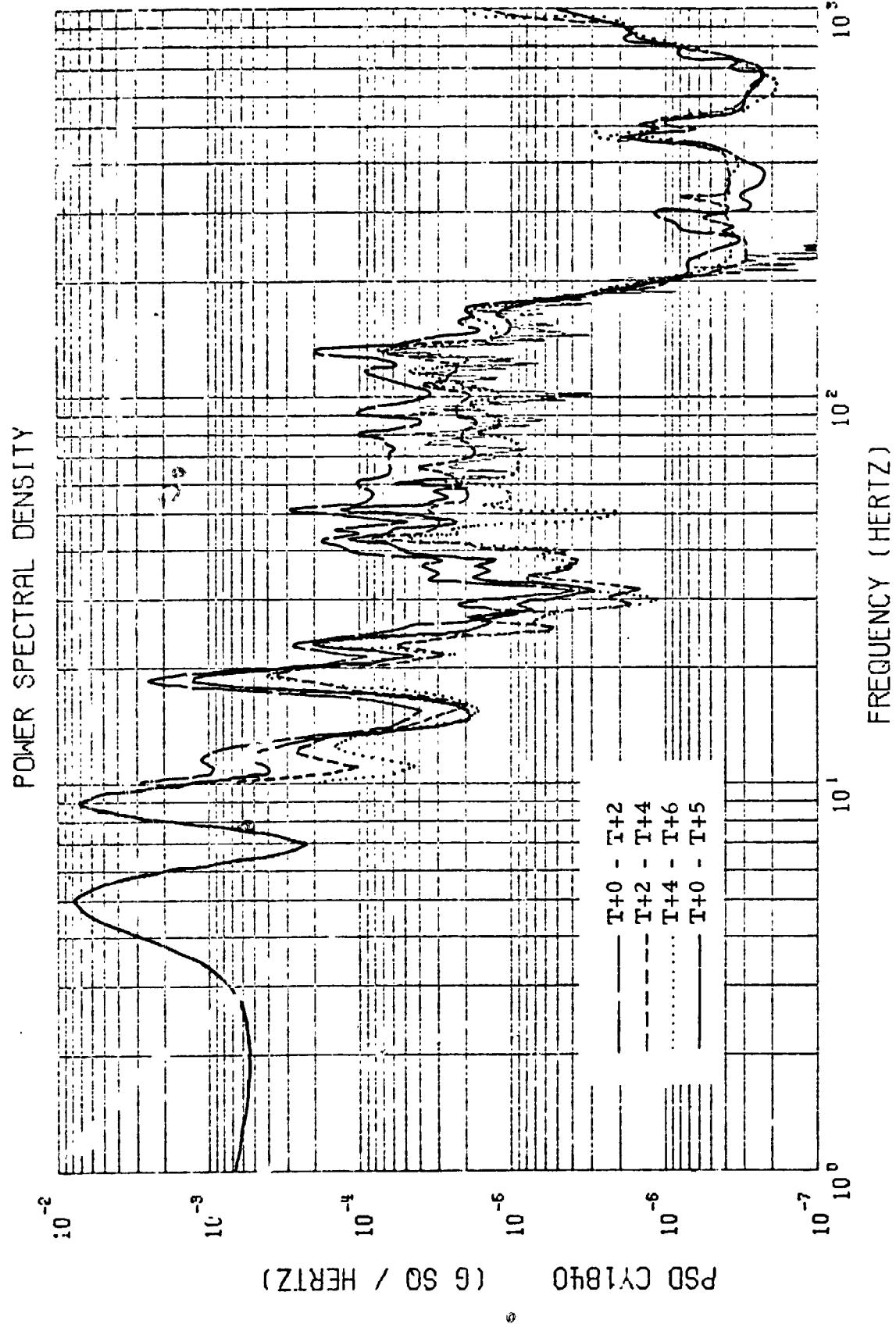
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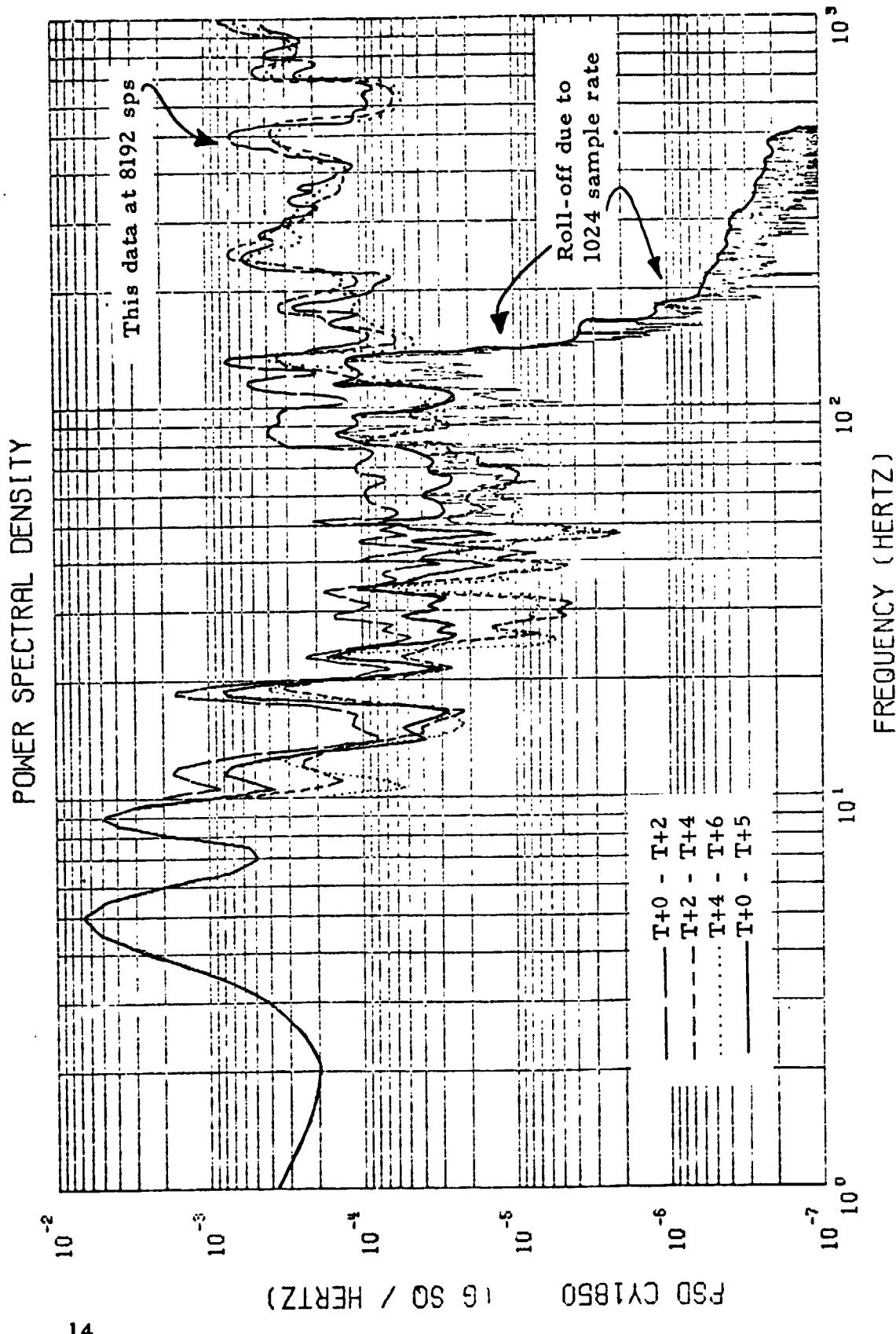
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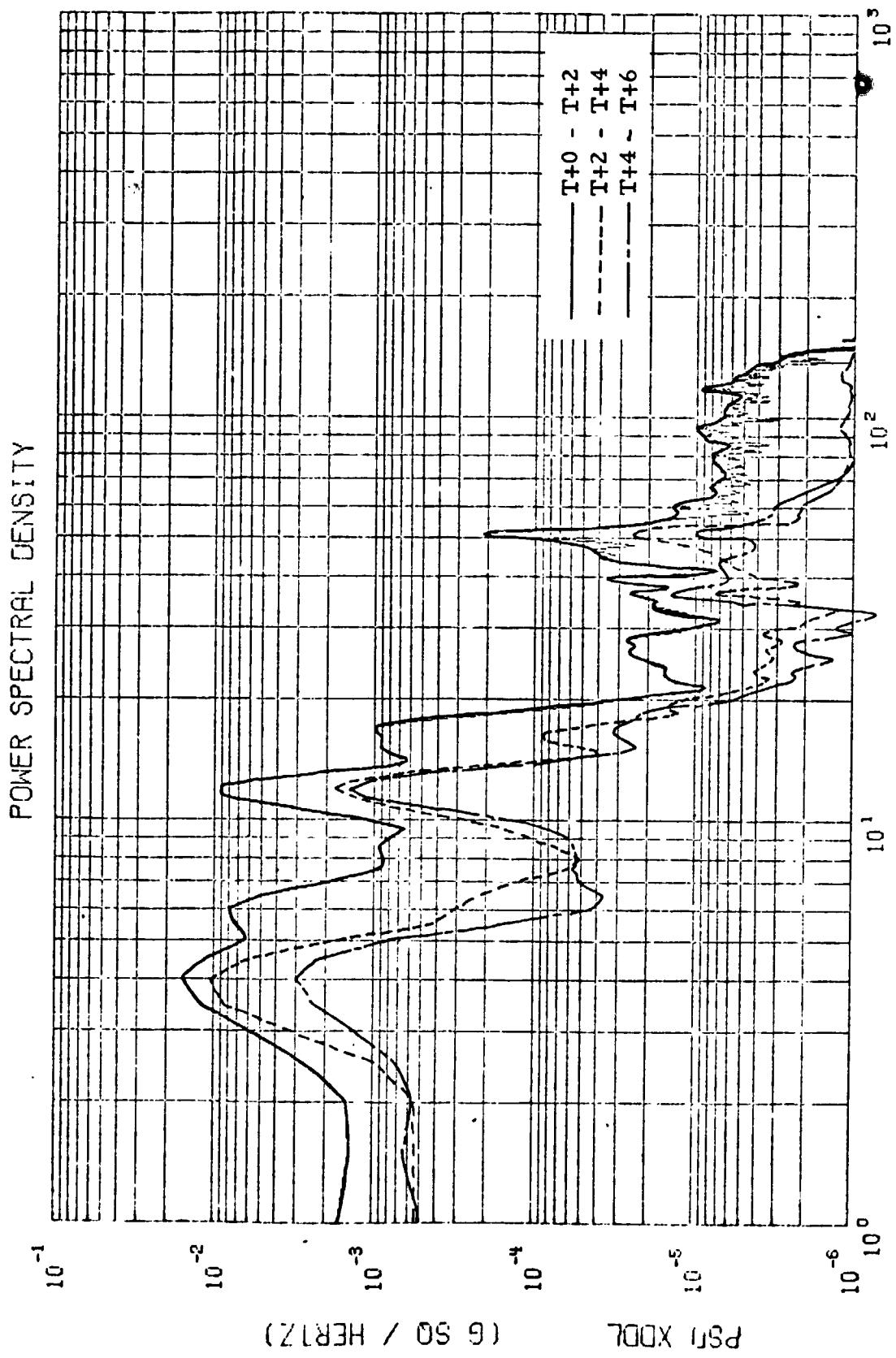
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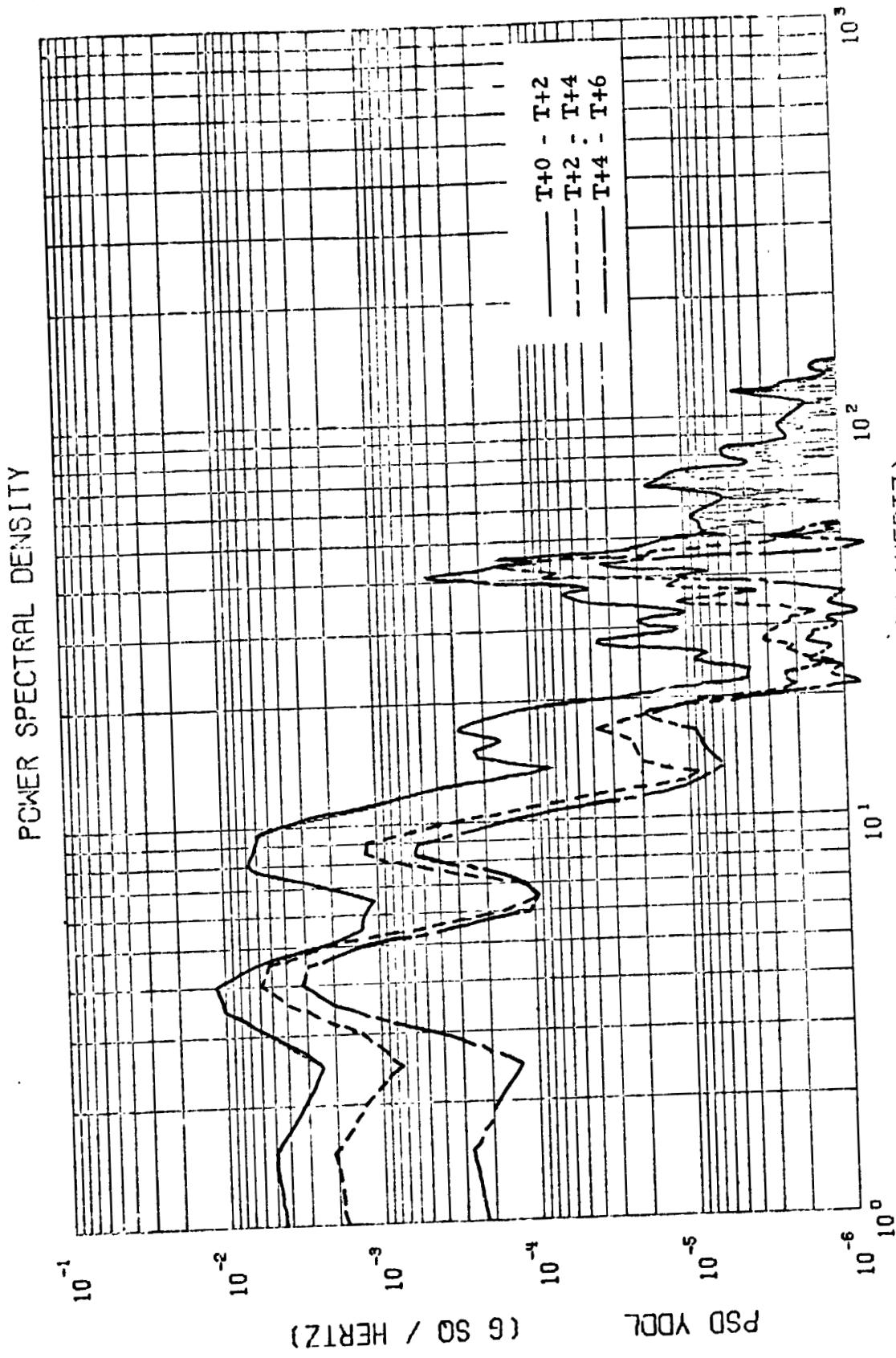
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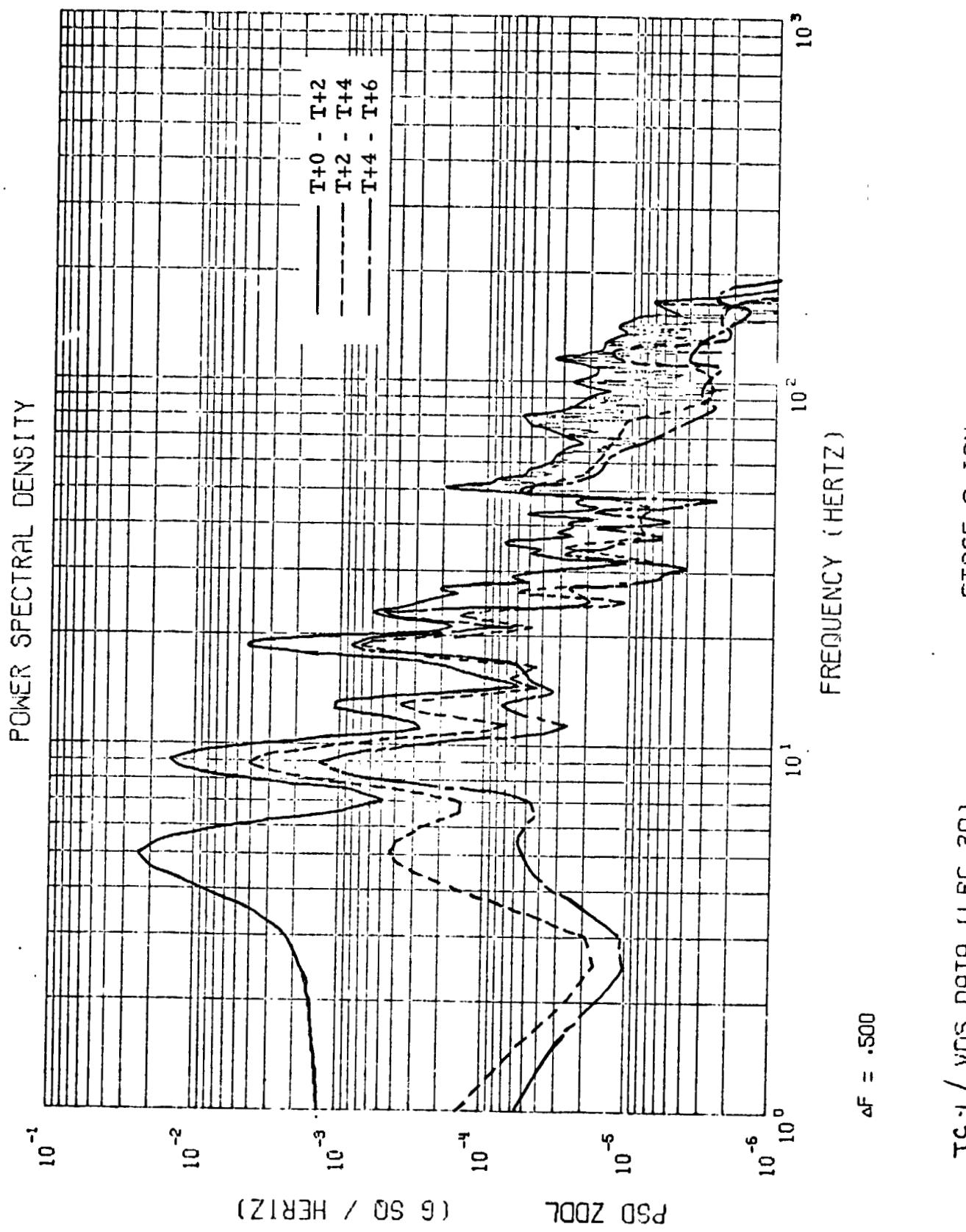
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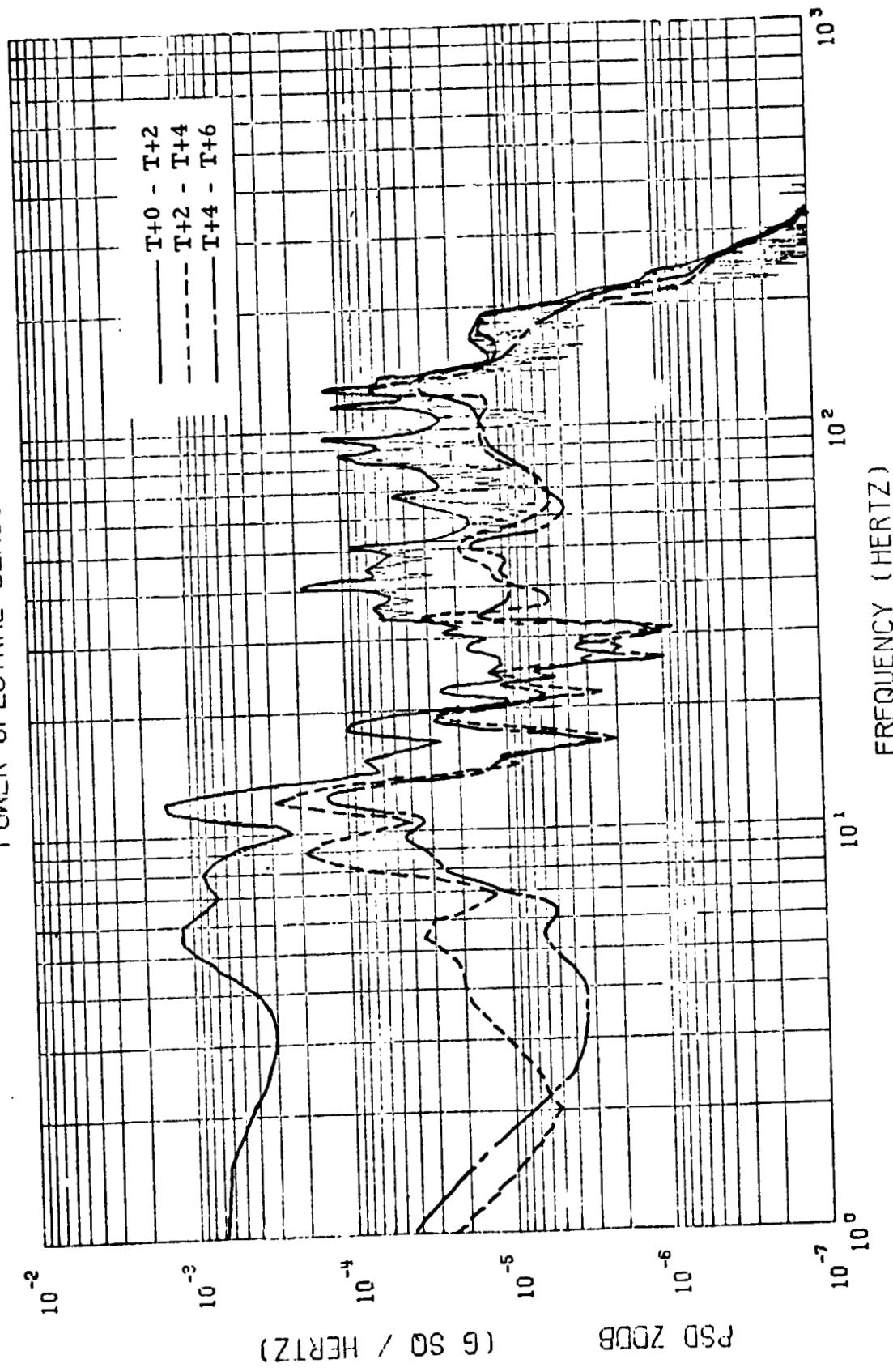
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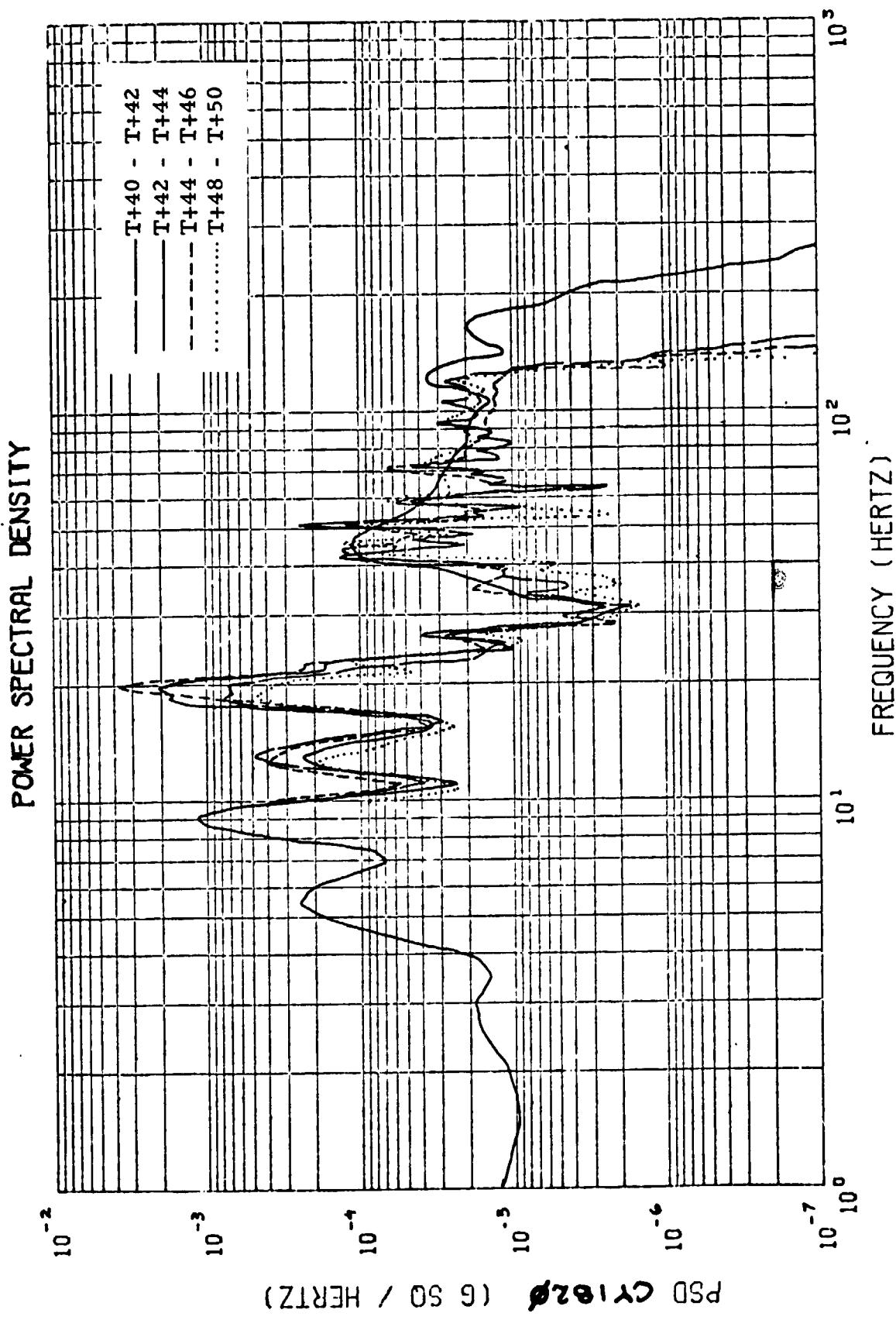


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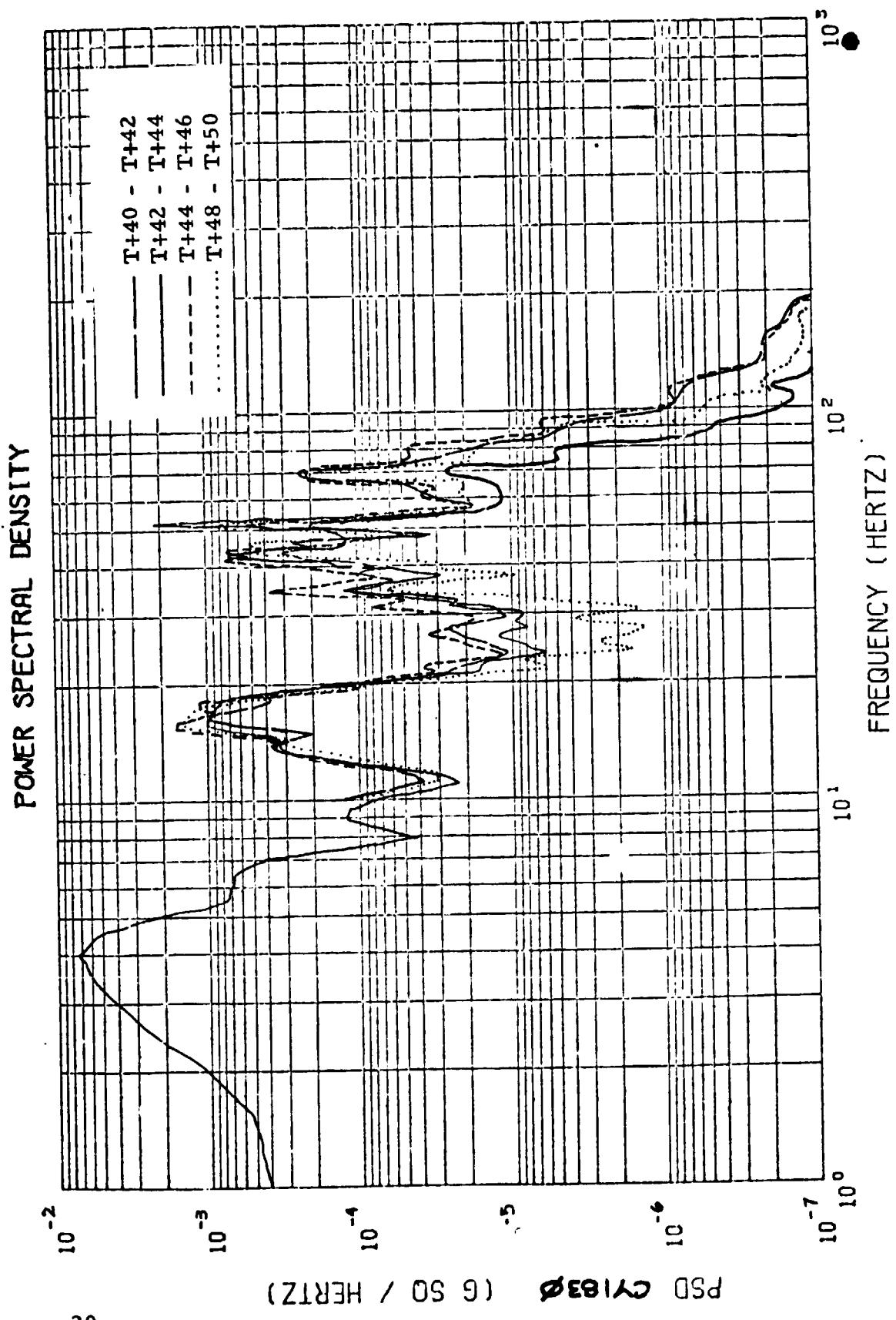


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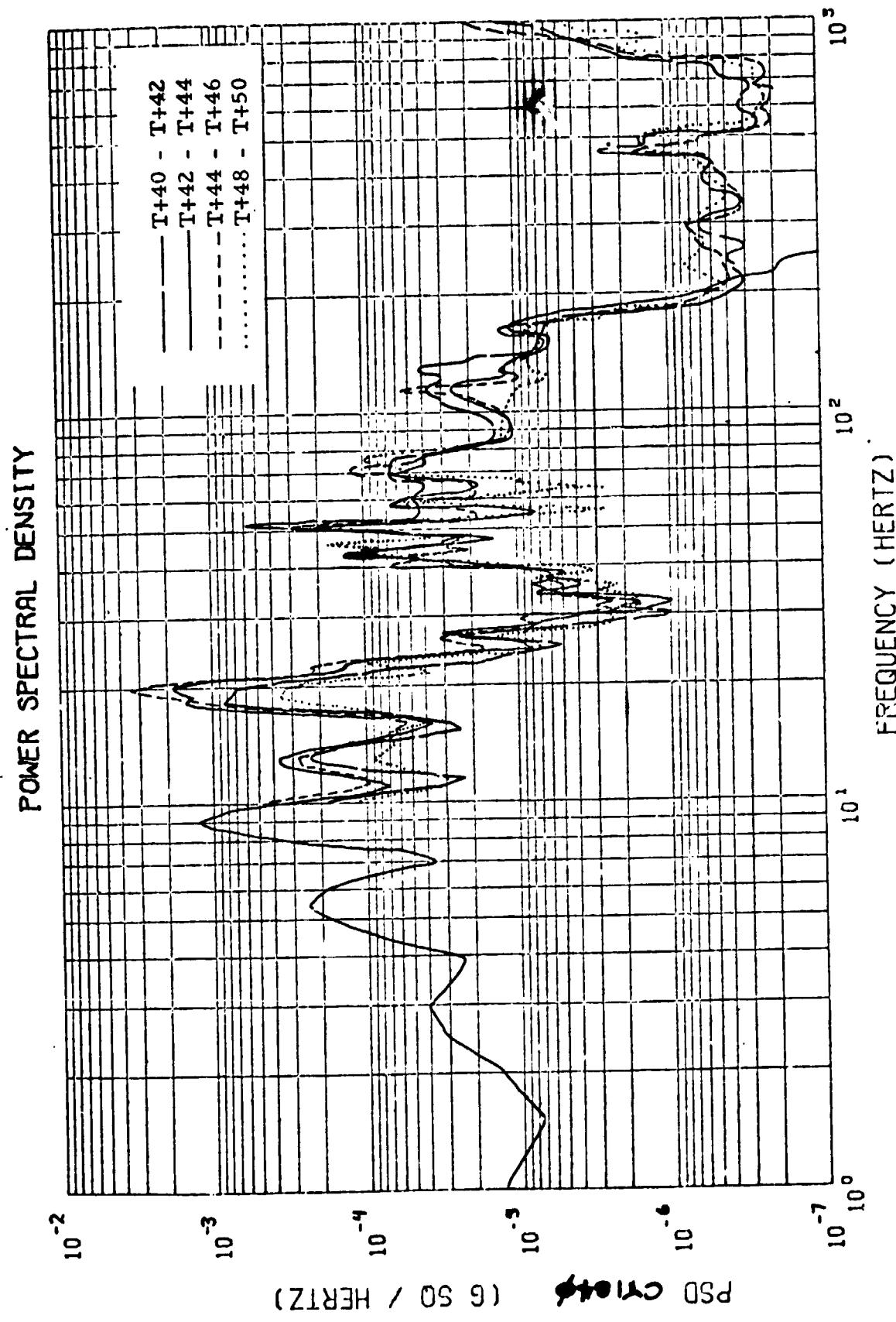


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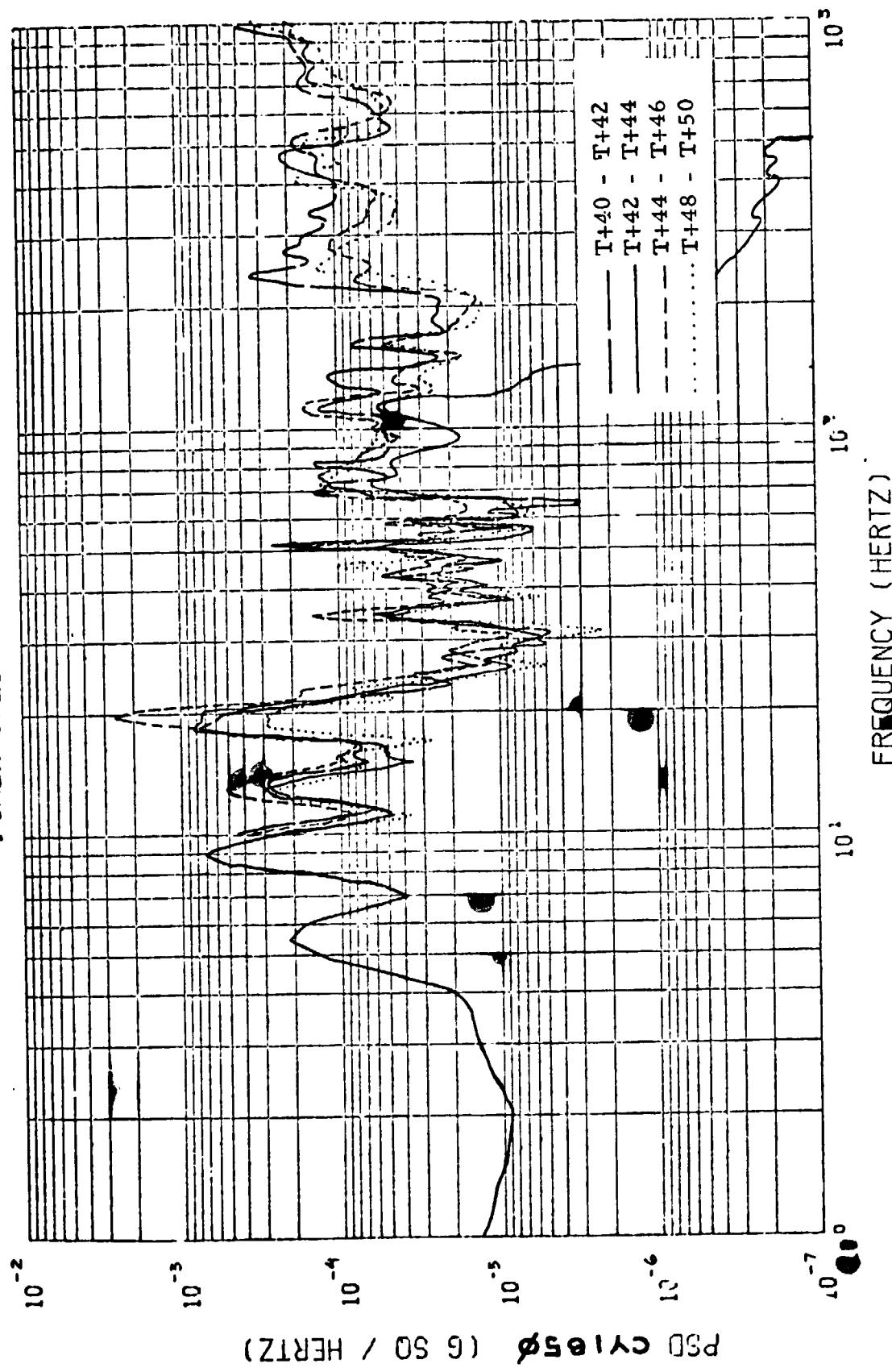


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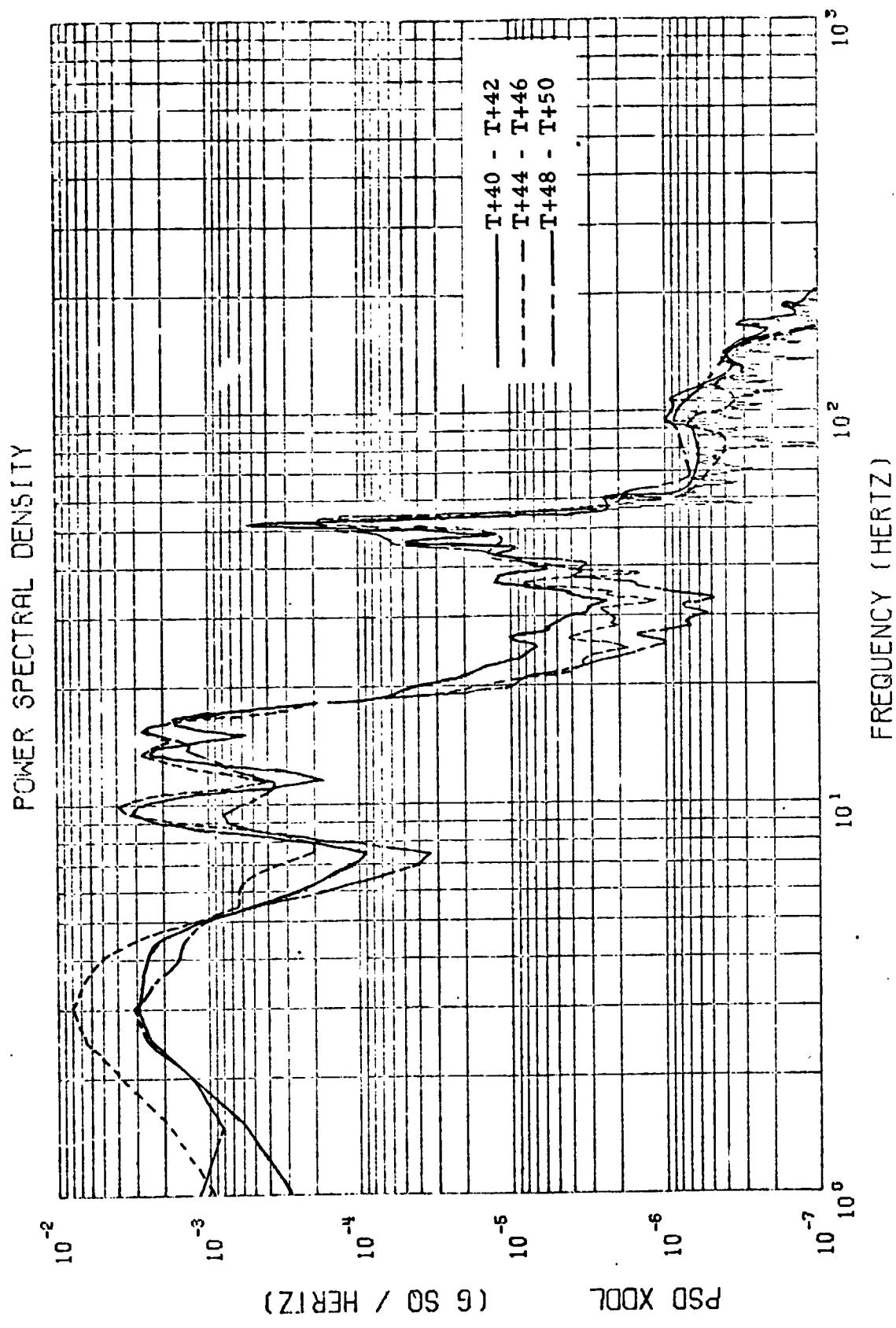


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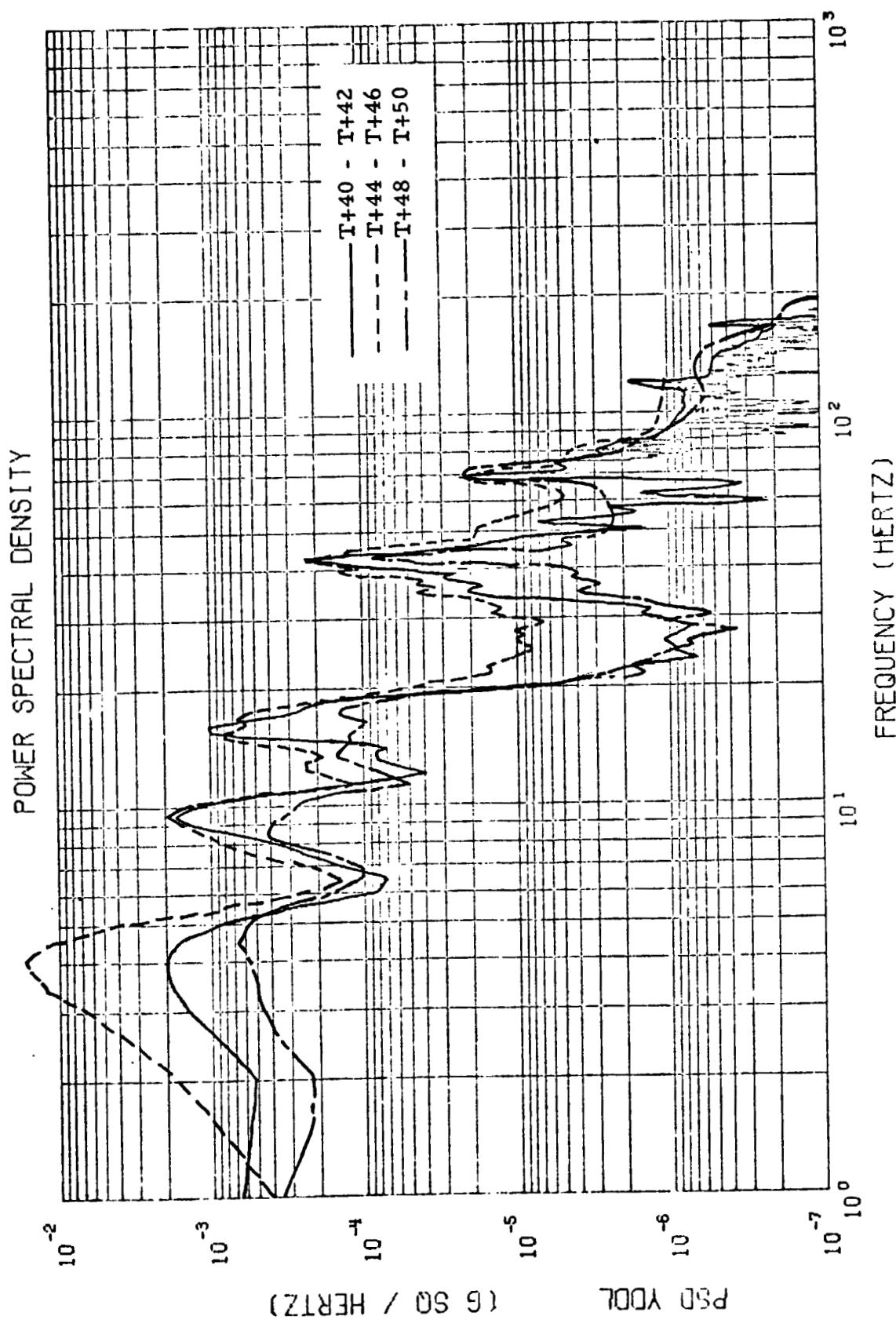


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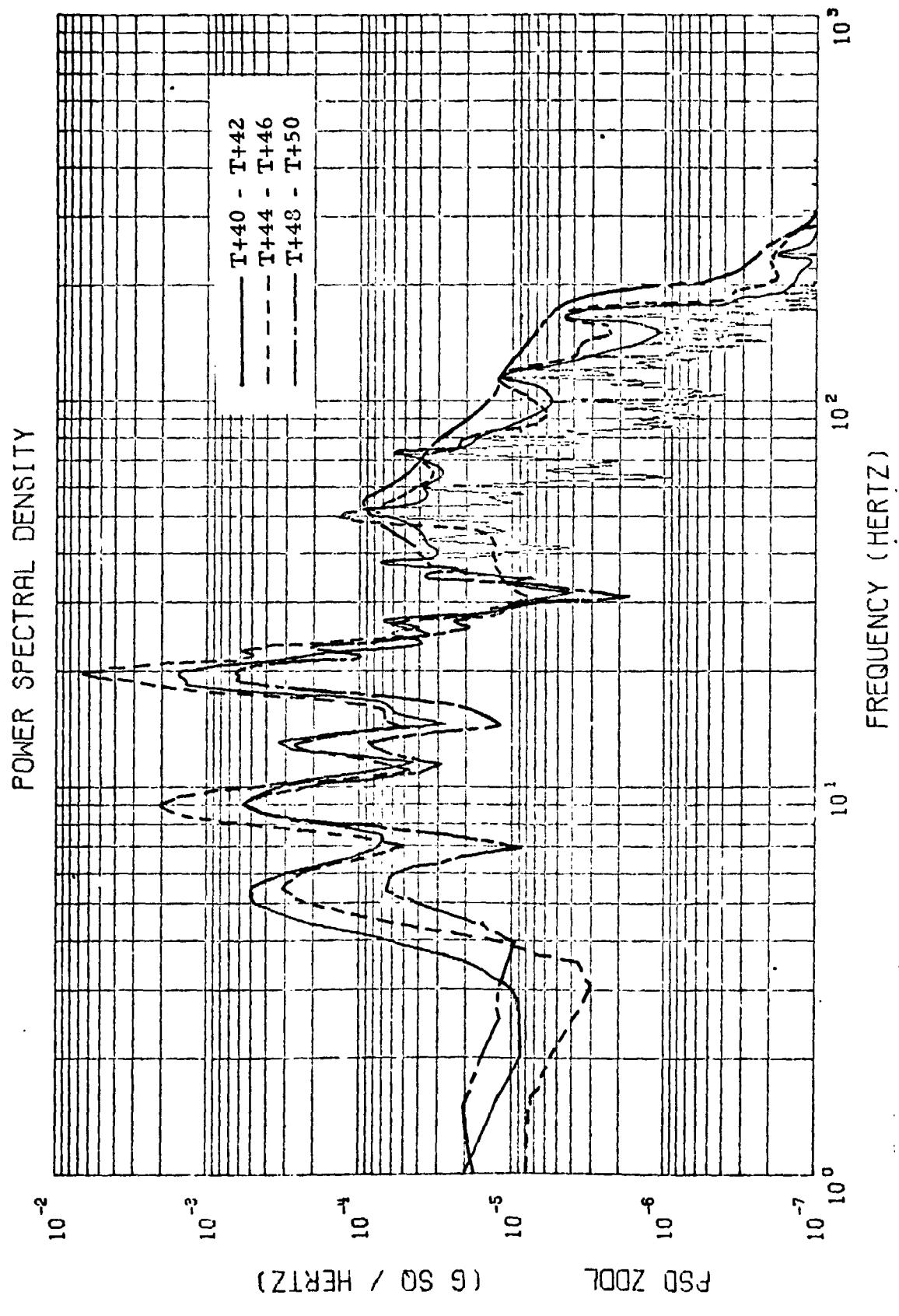


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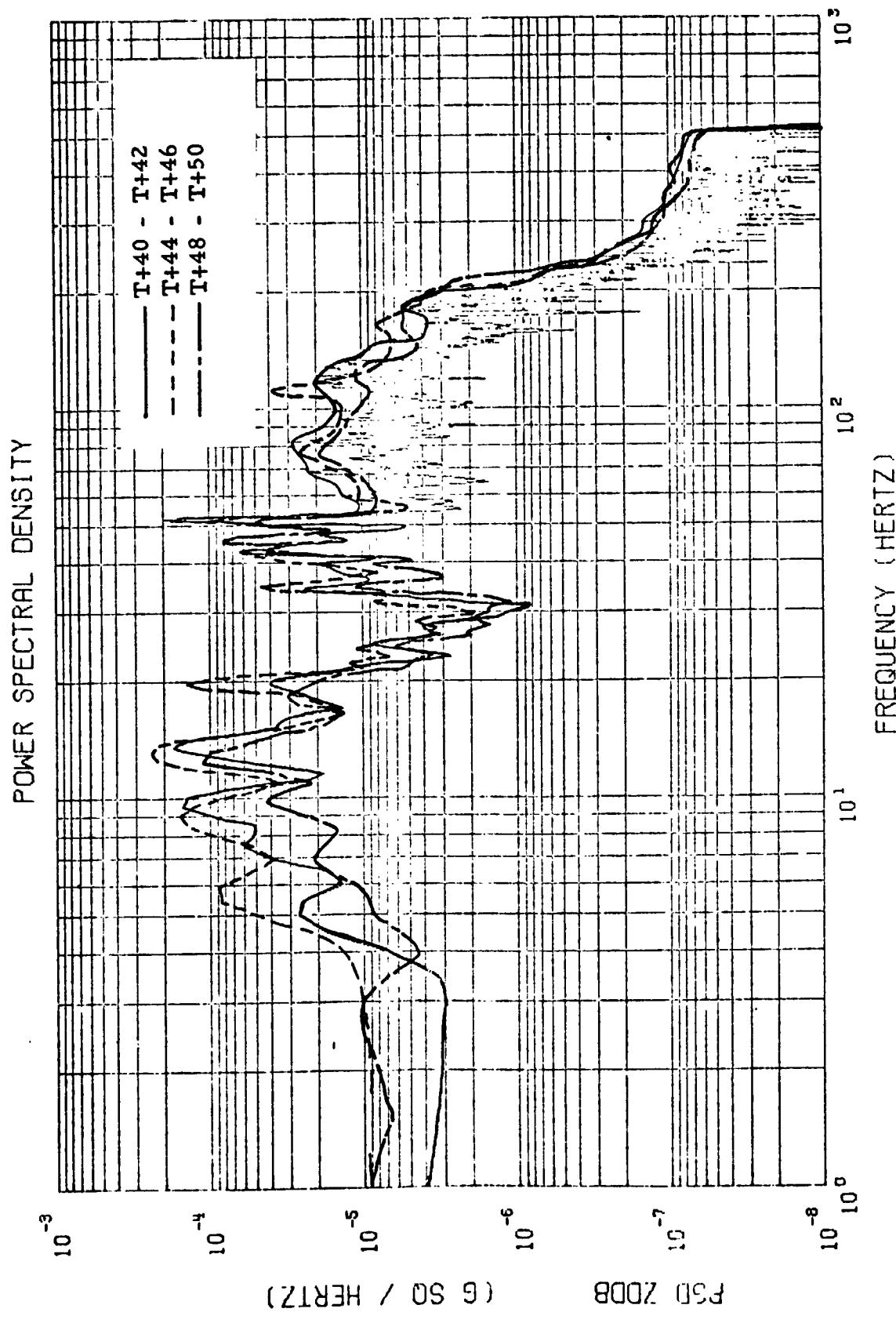


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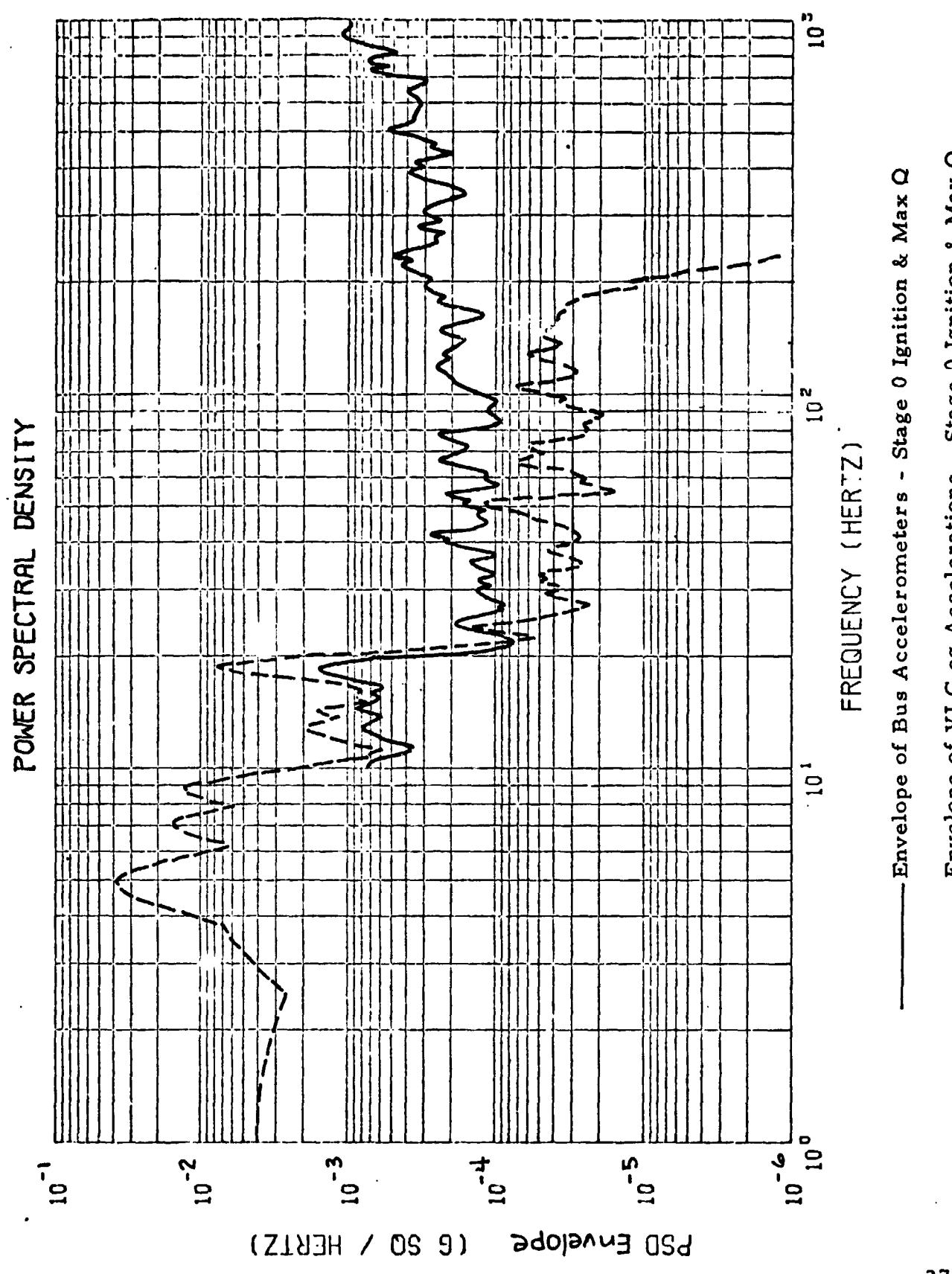
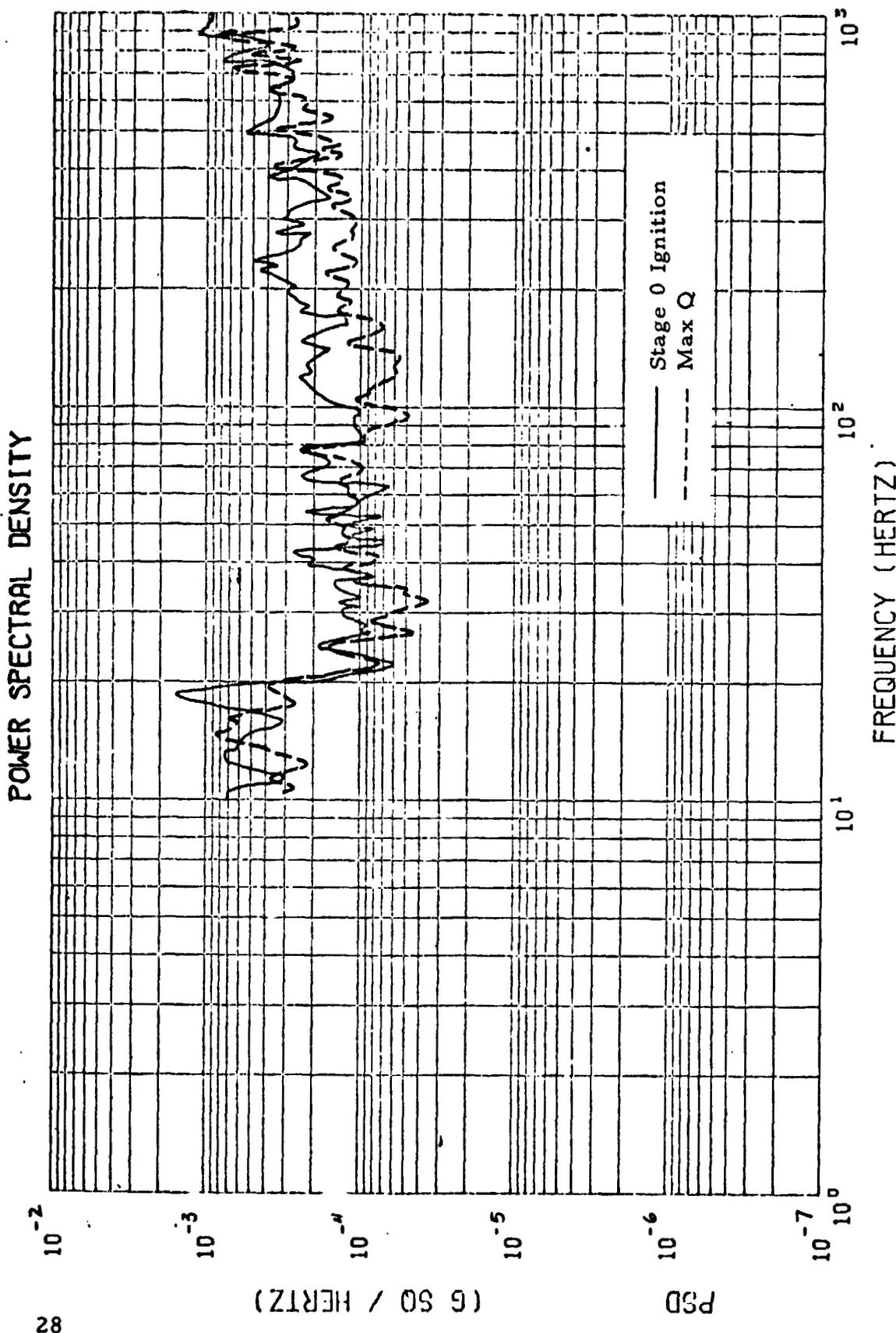
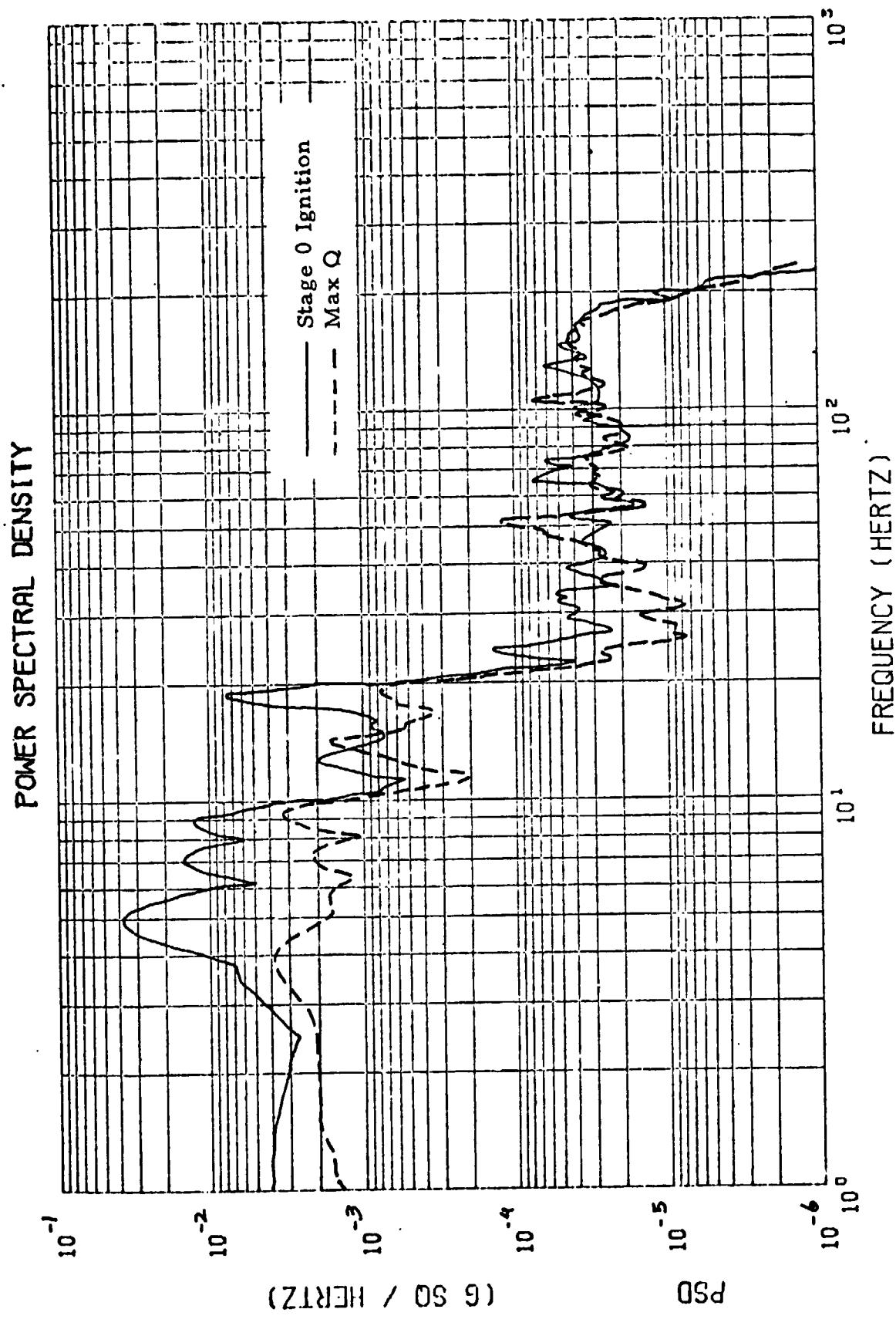


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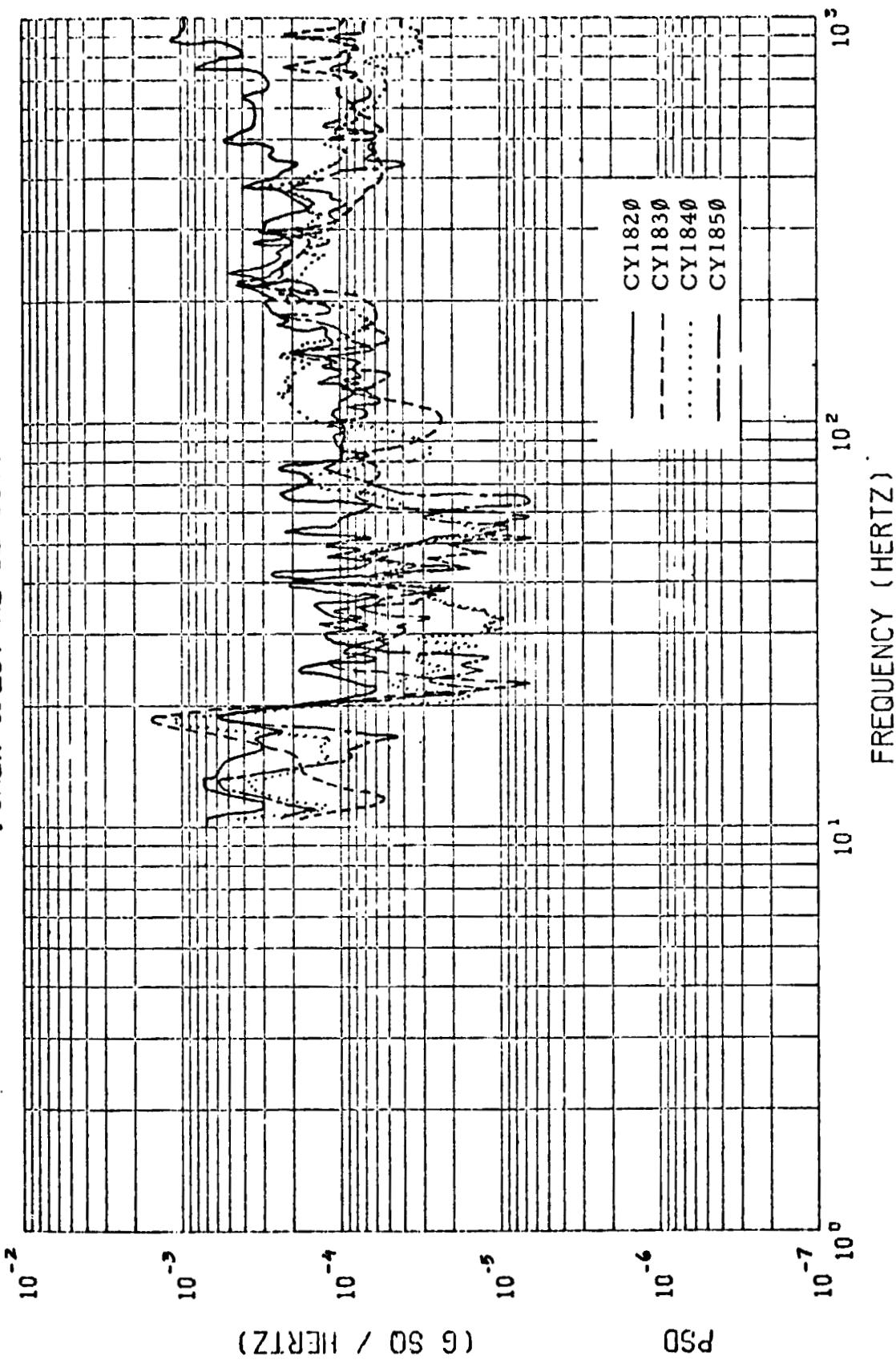
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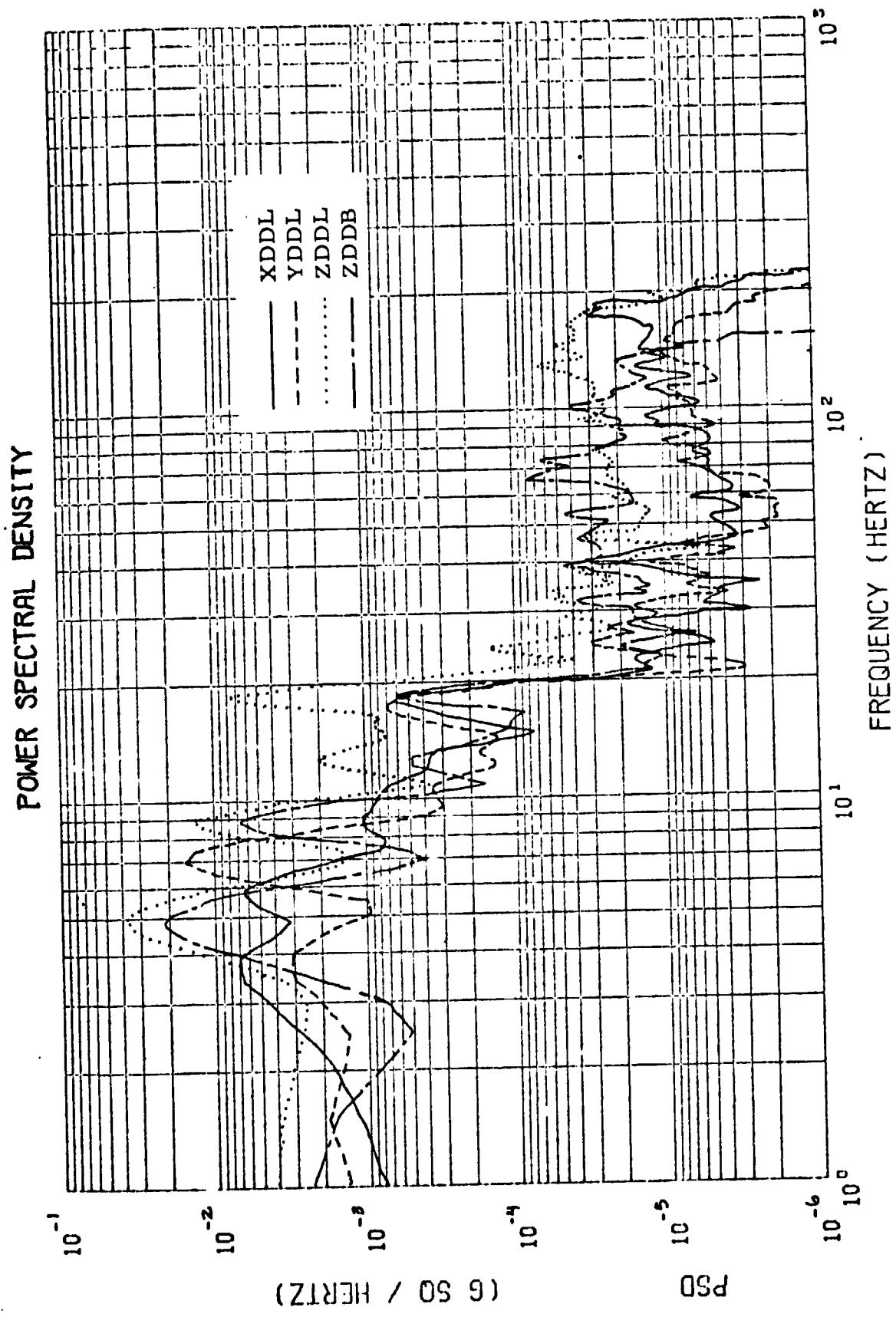
Figure 1.29 TC-4 Viking A Summary Data - VLC cg Accelerations

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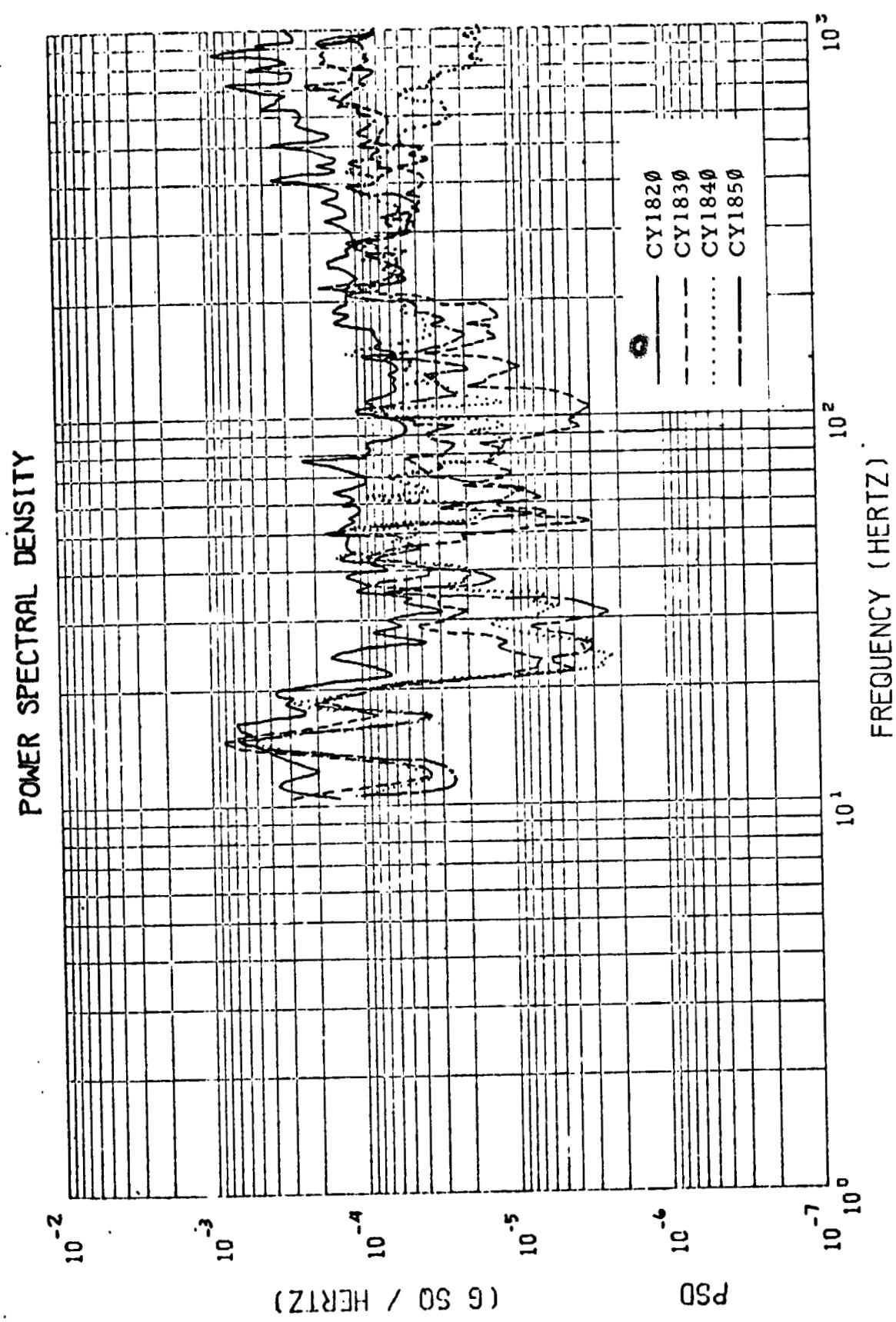
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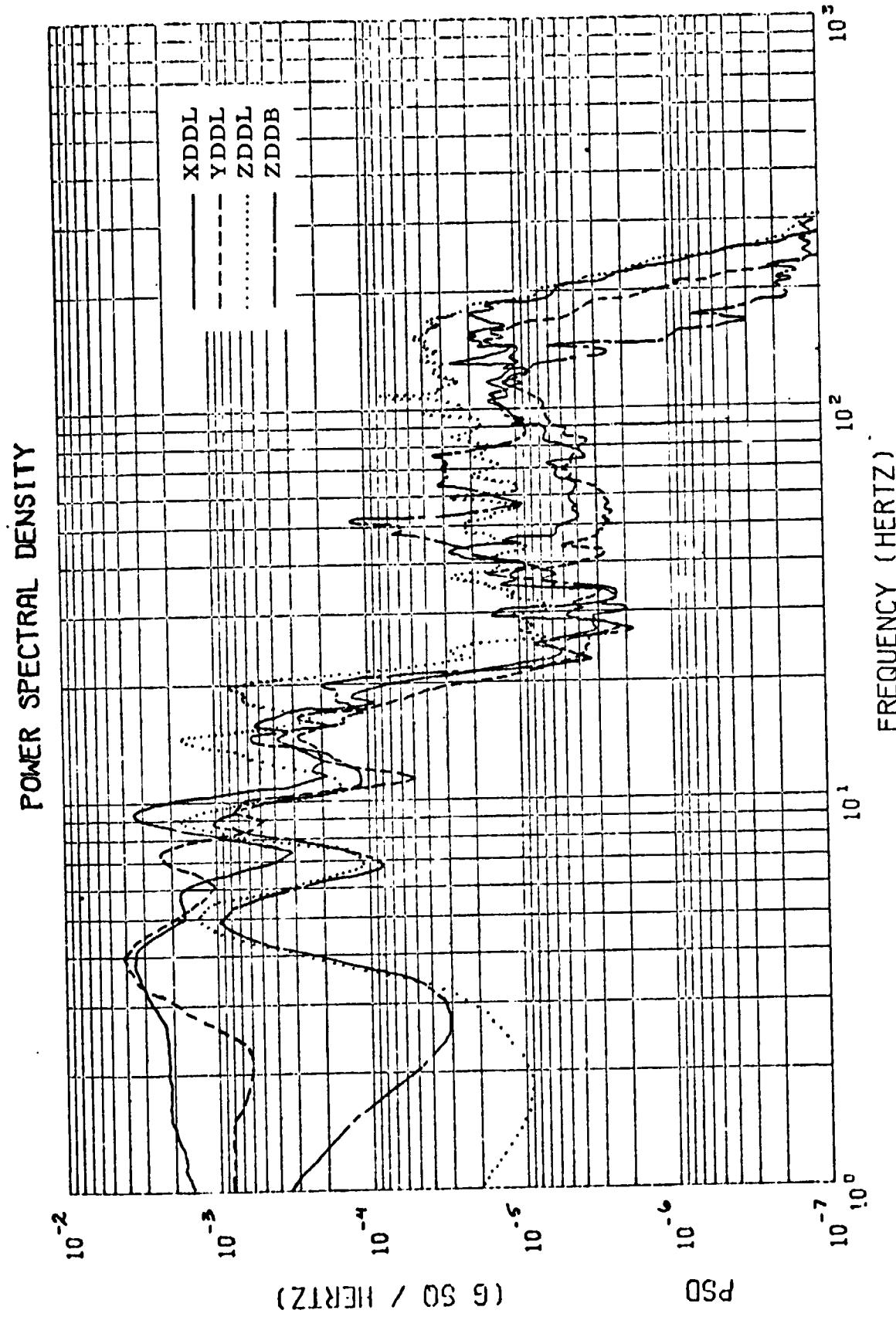


Envelopes of Stage 0 Ignition Composites

Figure 1.30 TC-4 Viking A Summary Data, VLC cg Accelerations



Envelopes of Max Q Compsite Plots
Figure 1.31 TC-4 Viking A Summary Data - Bus Accelerometers



Envelopes of Max Q Composite Plots

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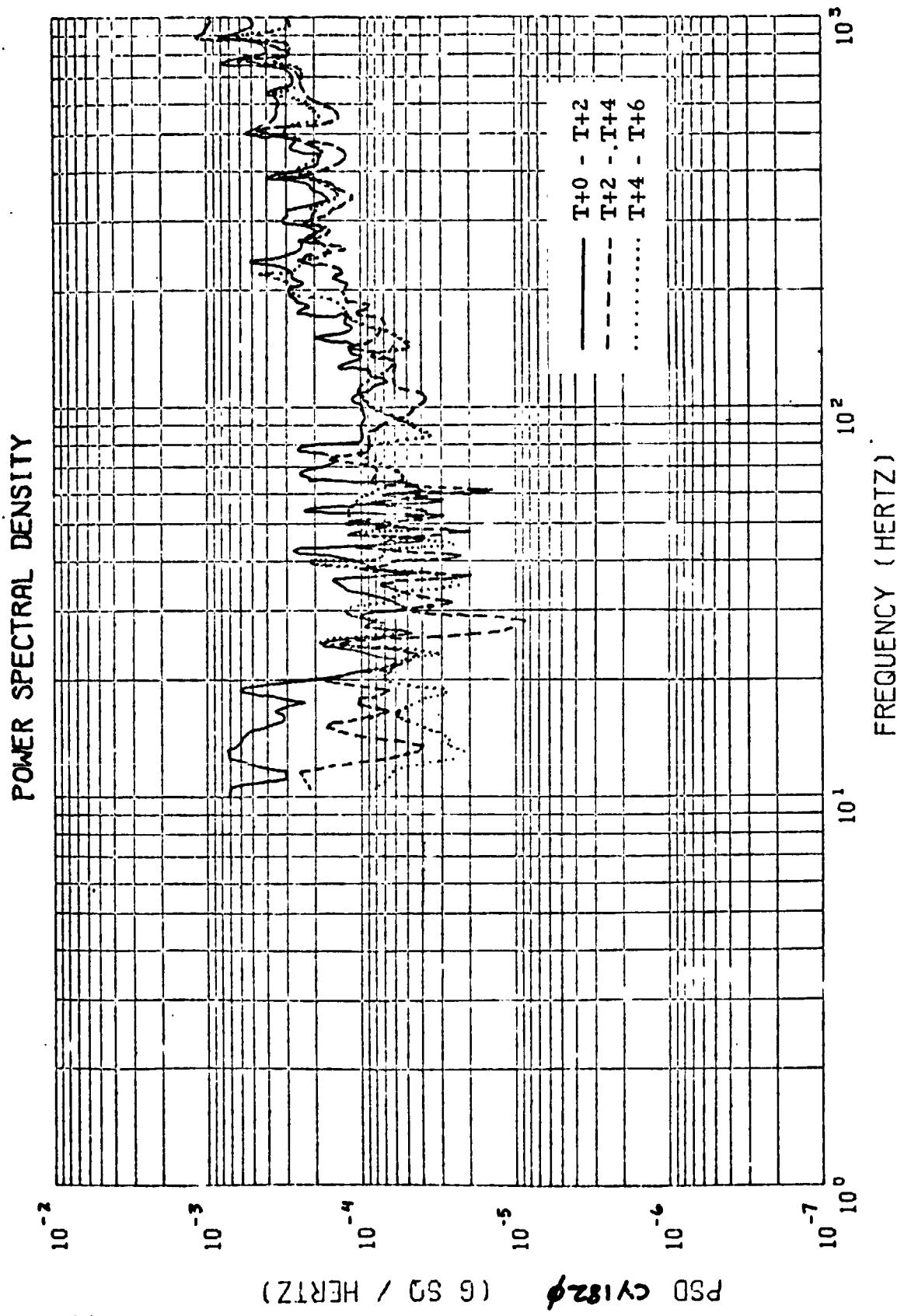


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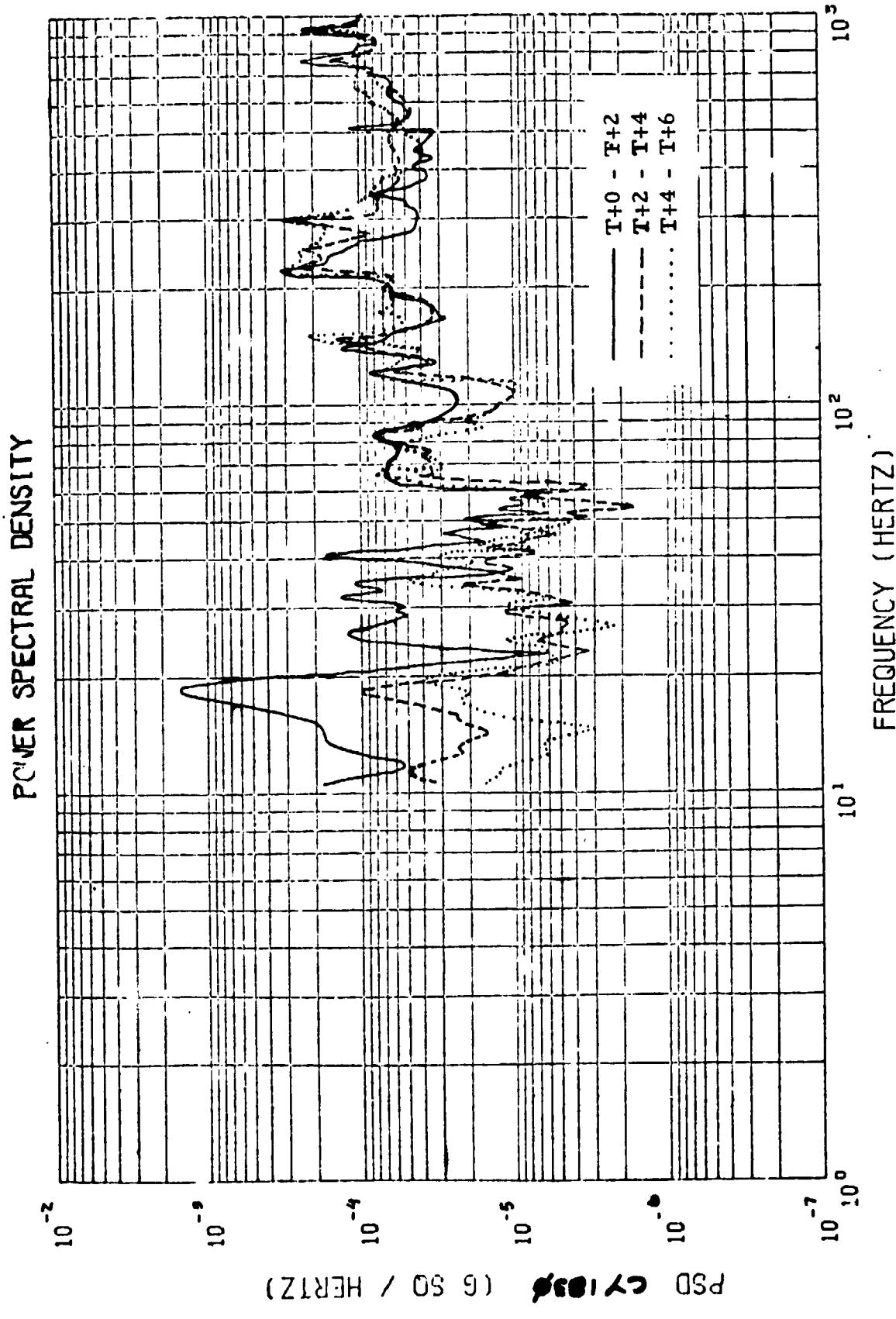


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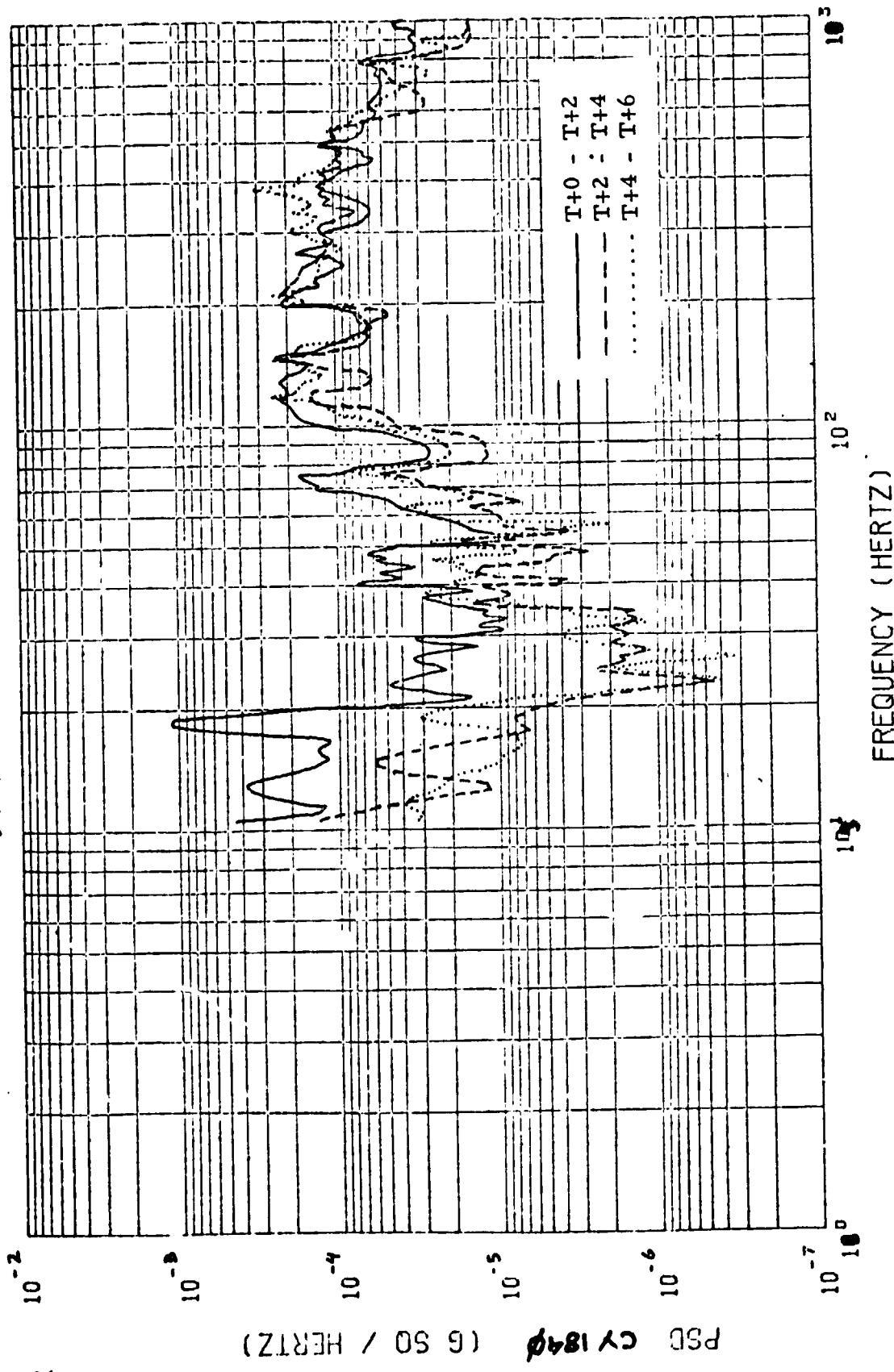


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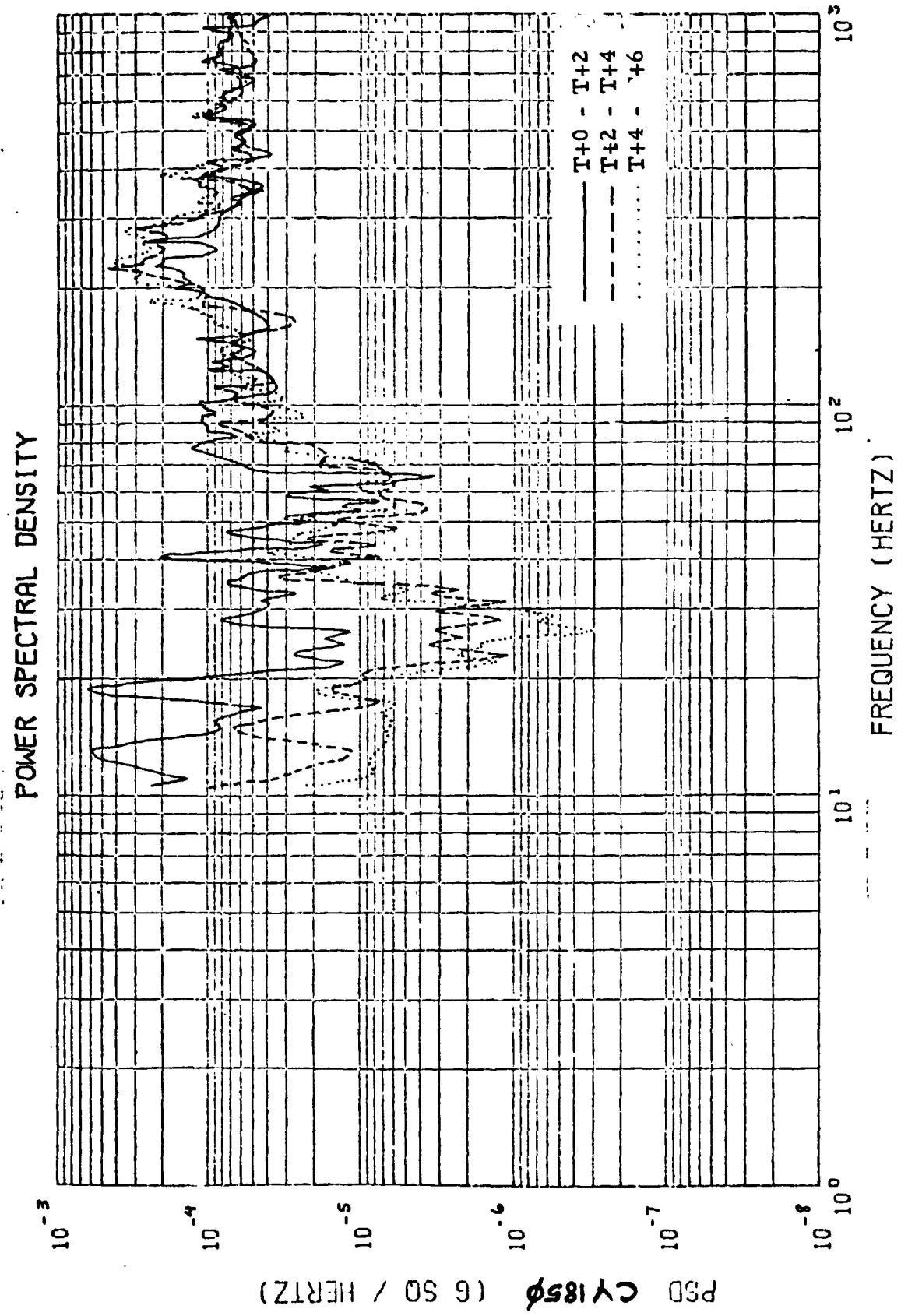


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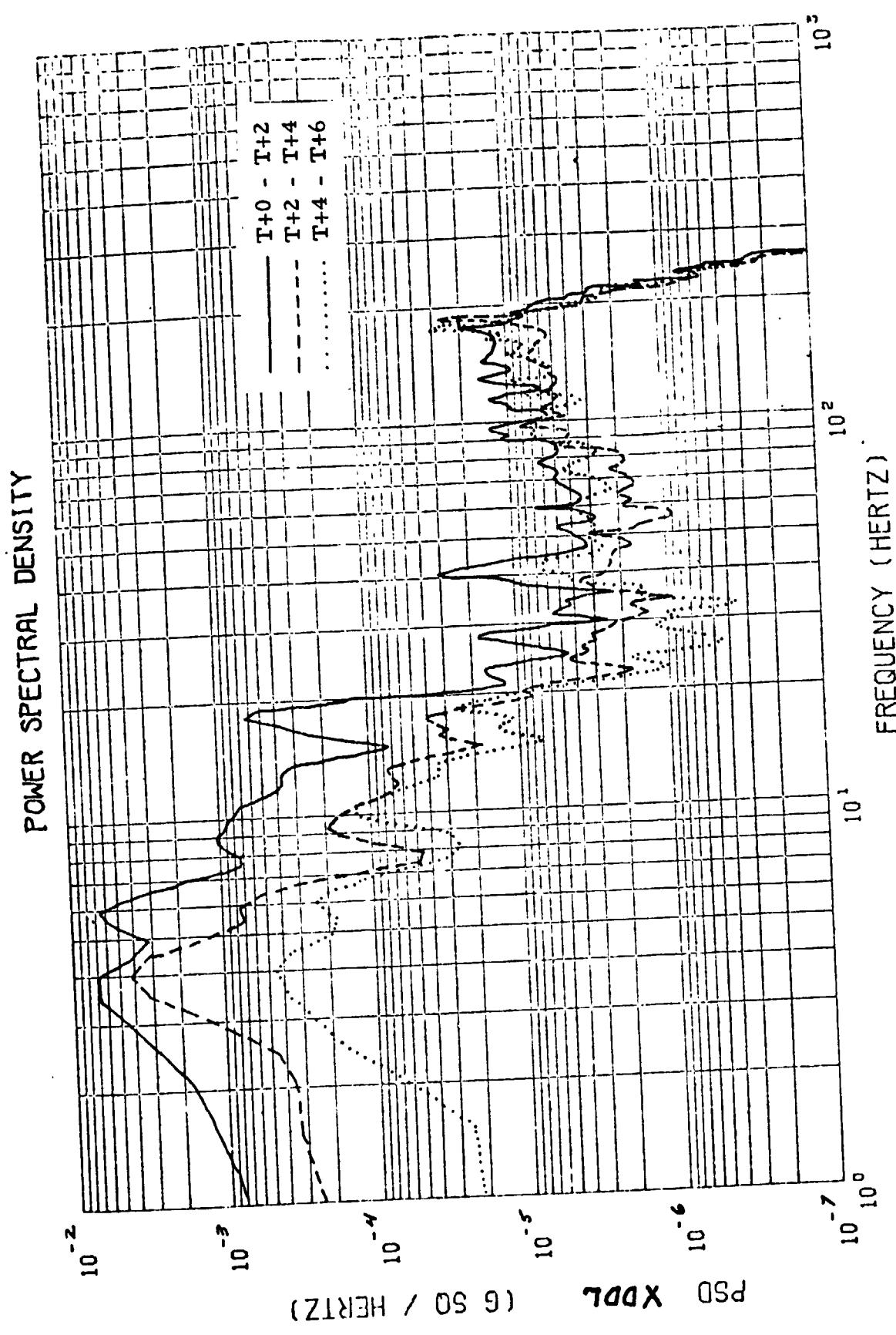


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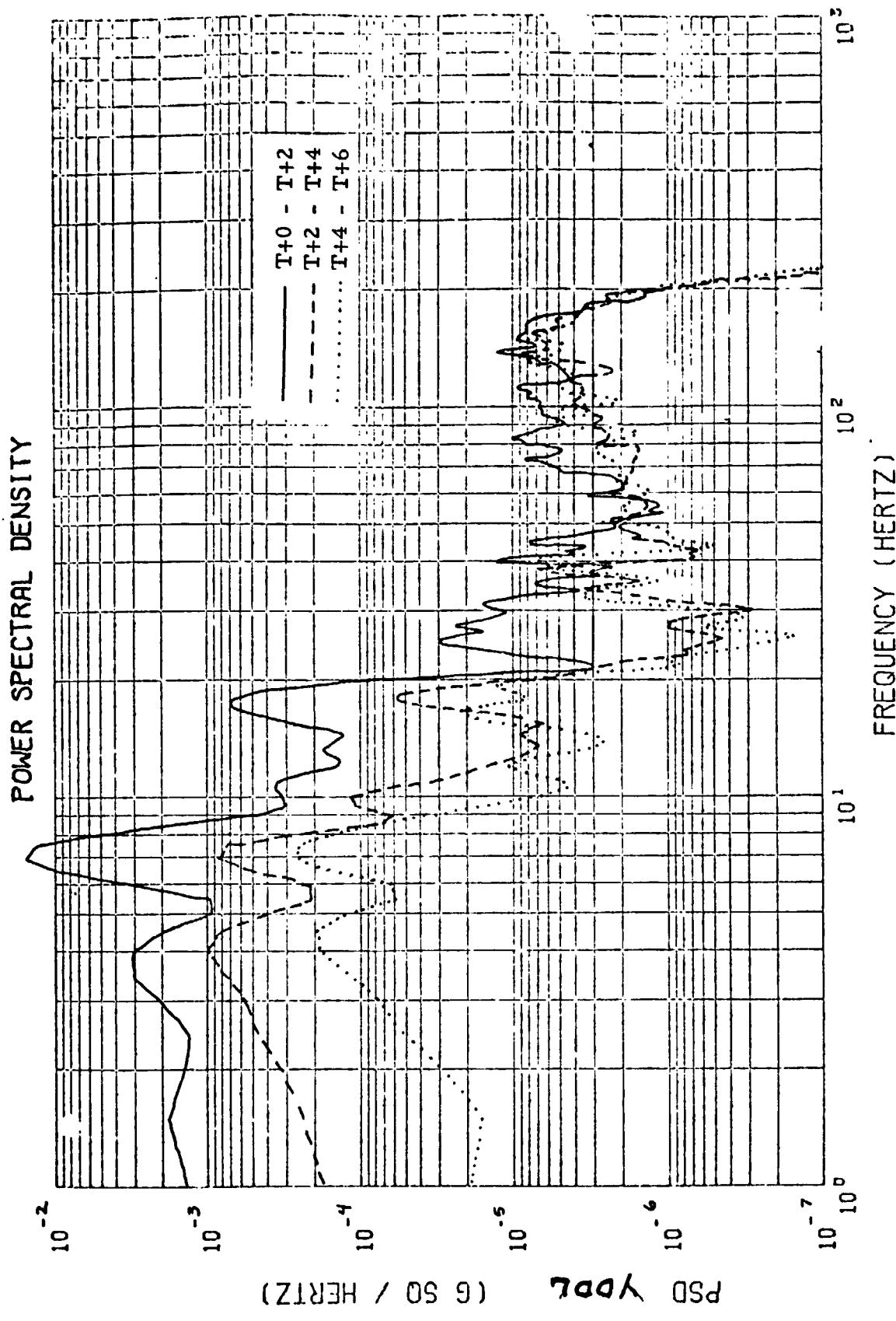


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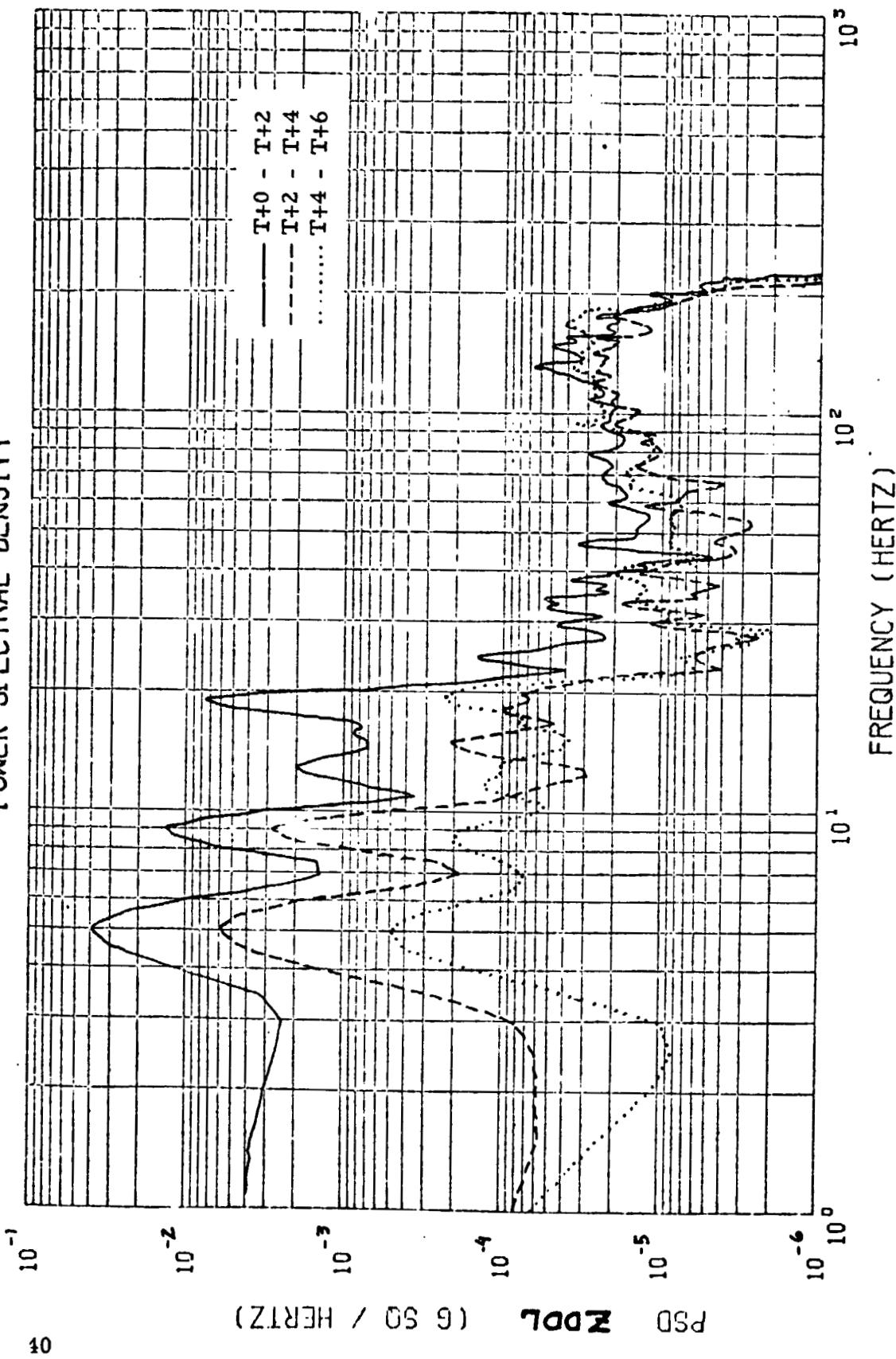


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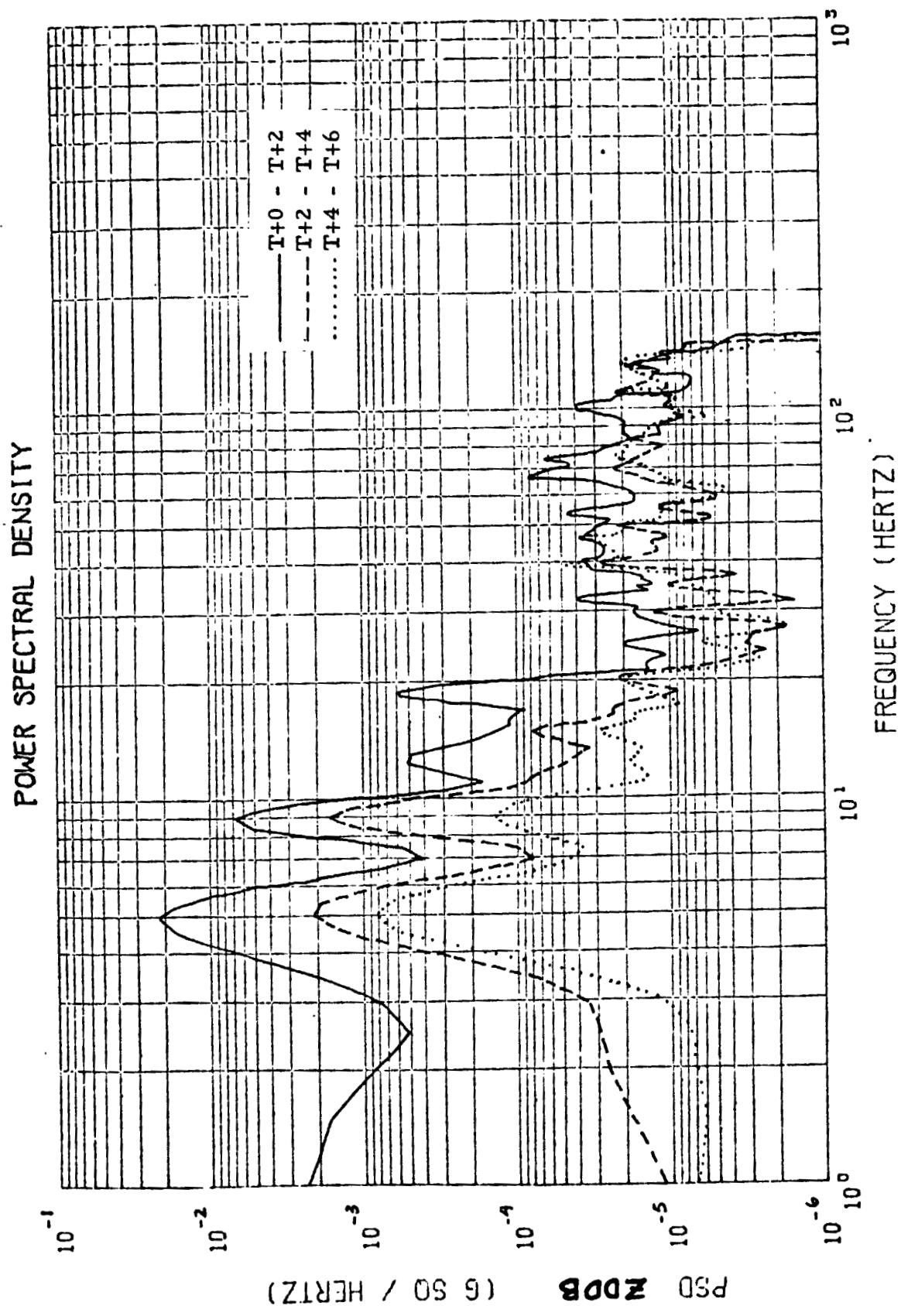


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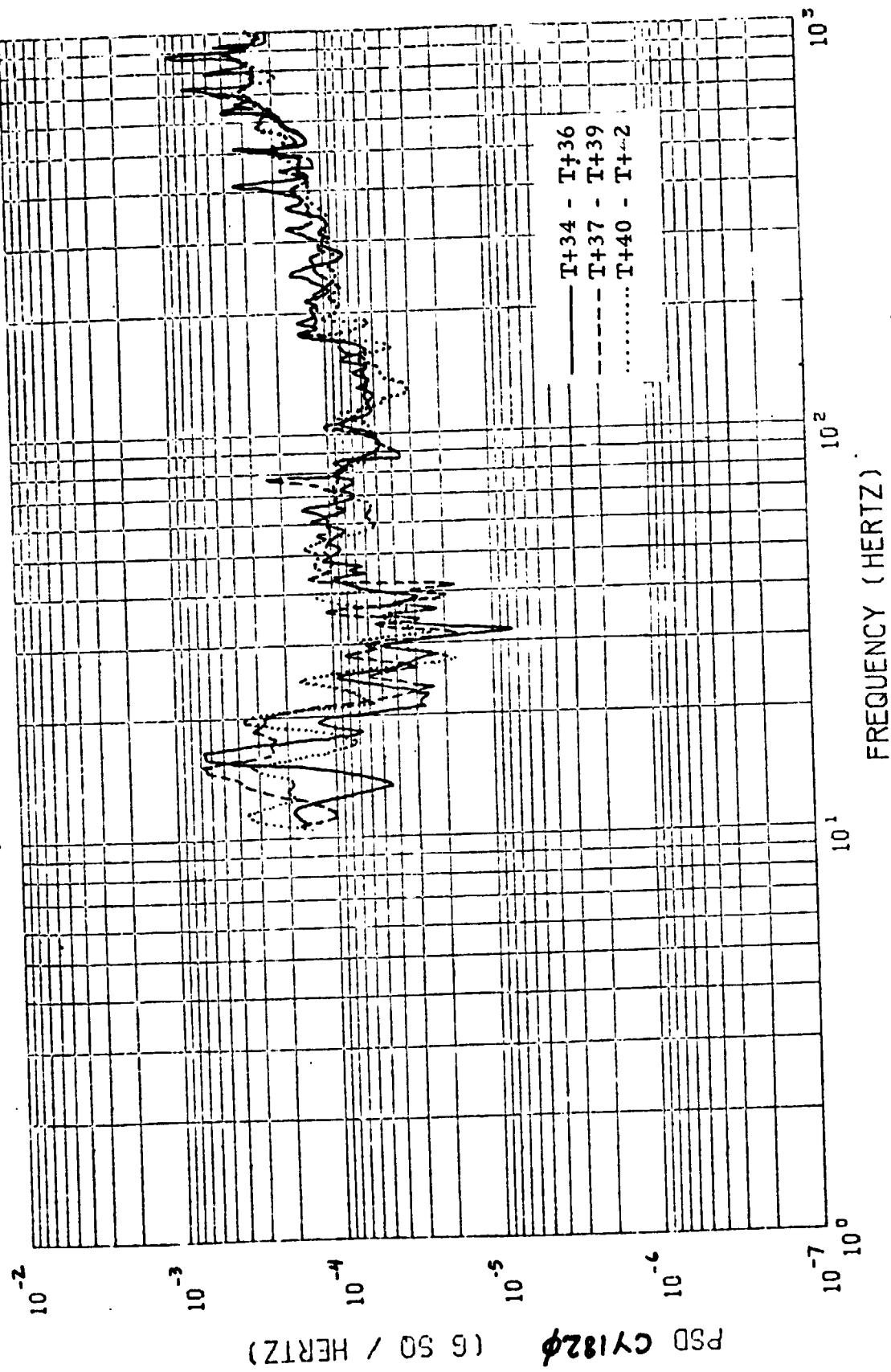


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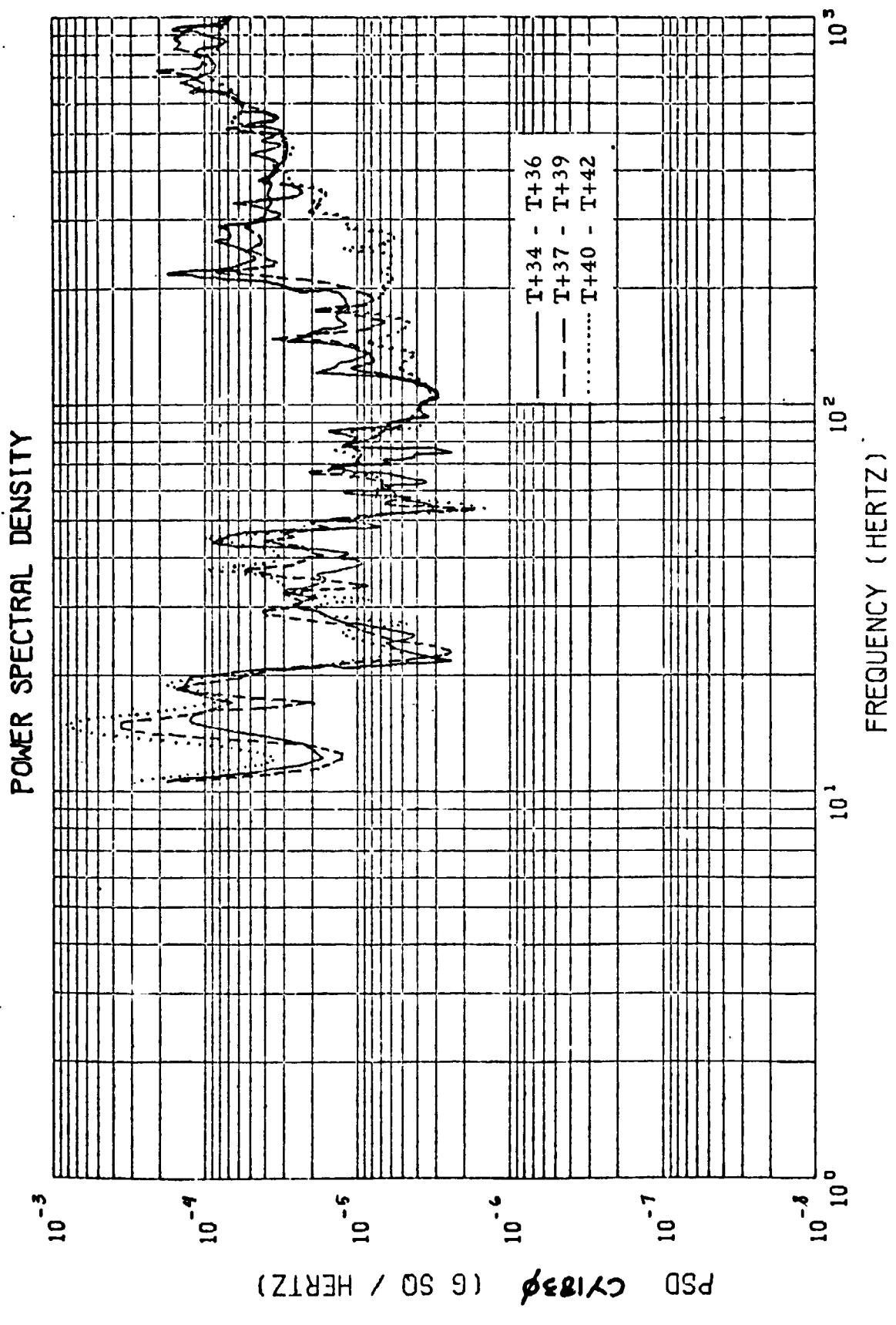


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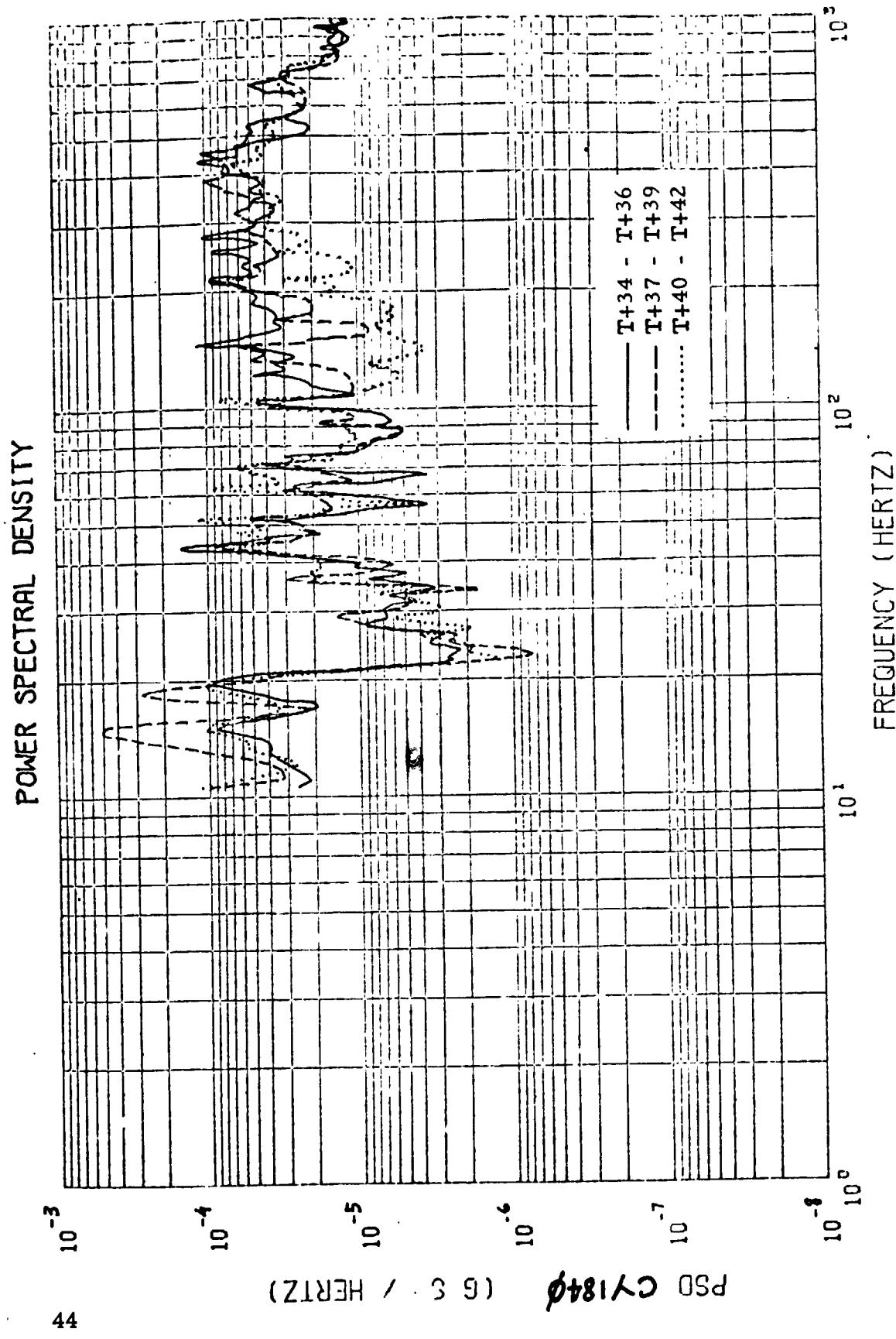


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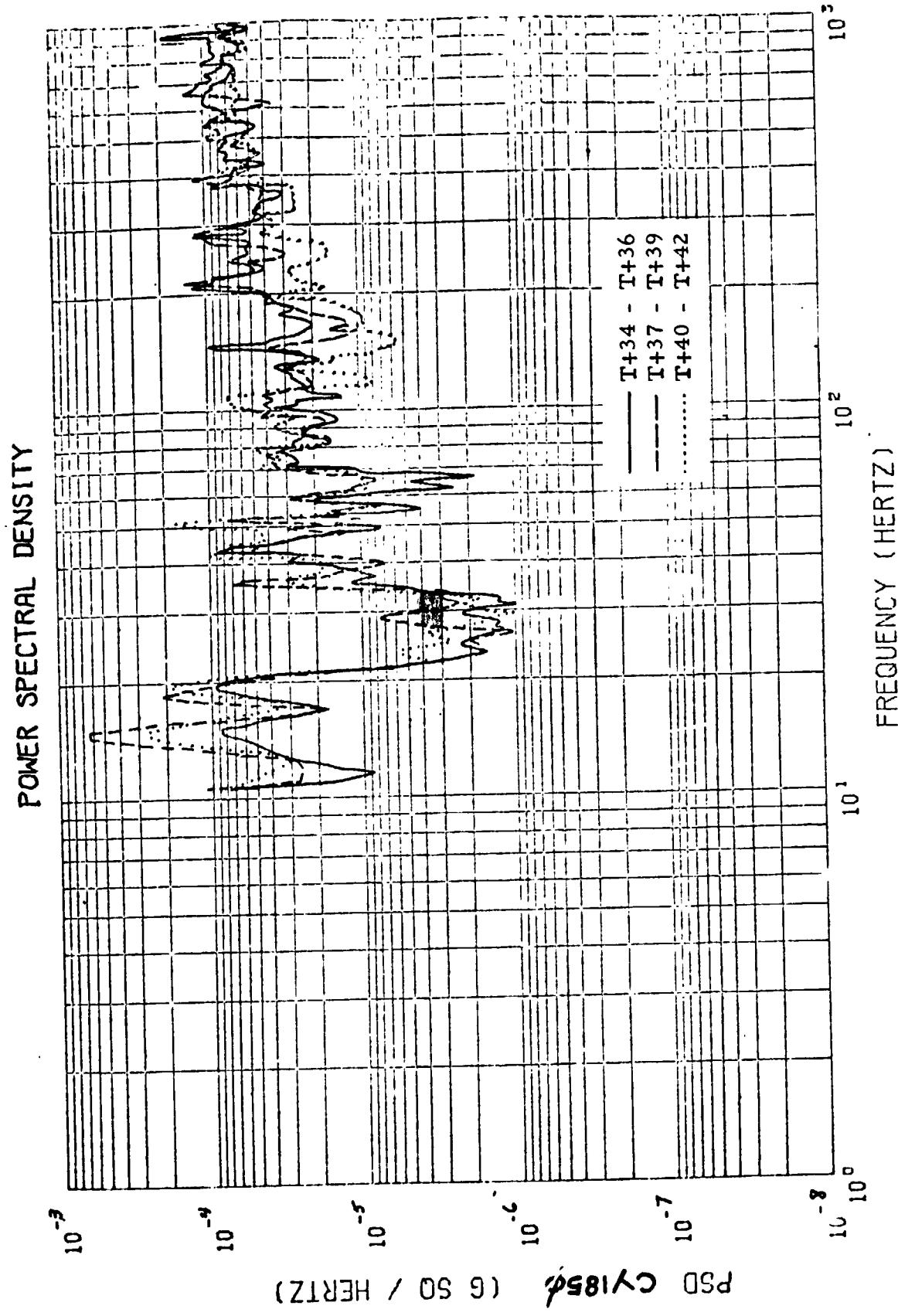


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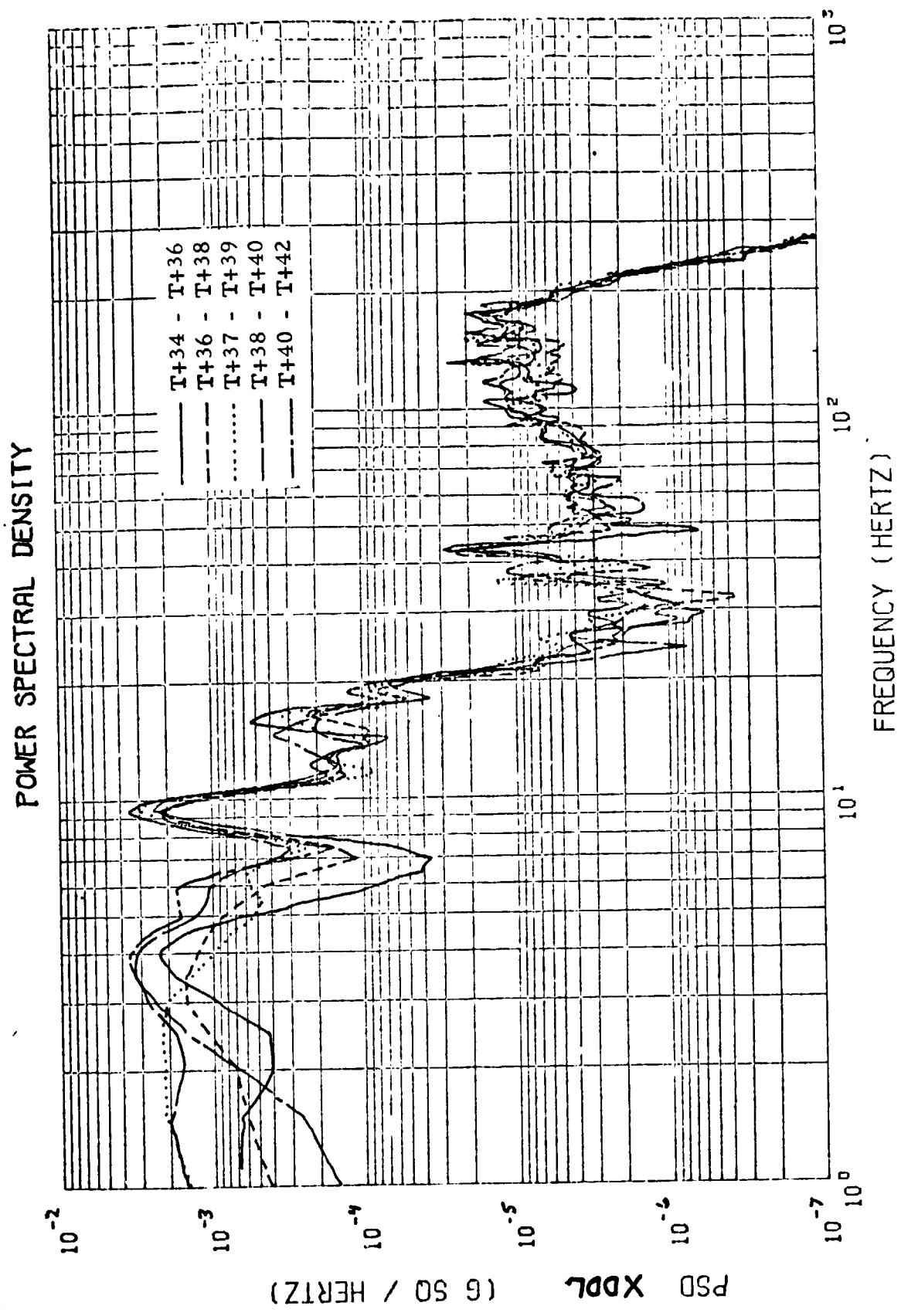


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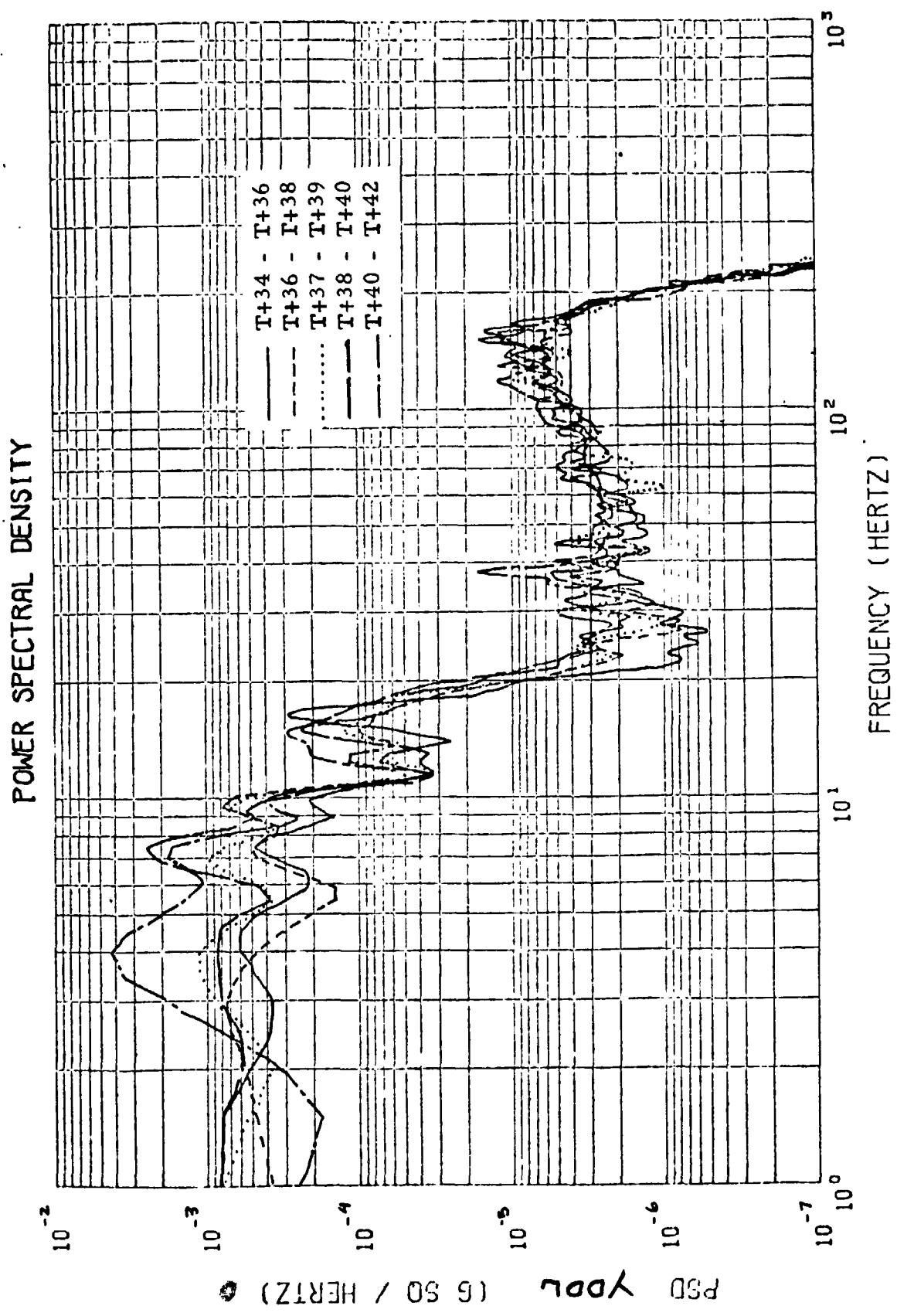


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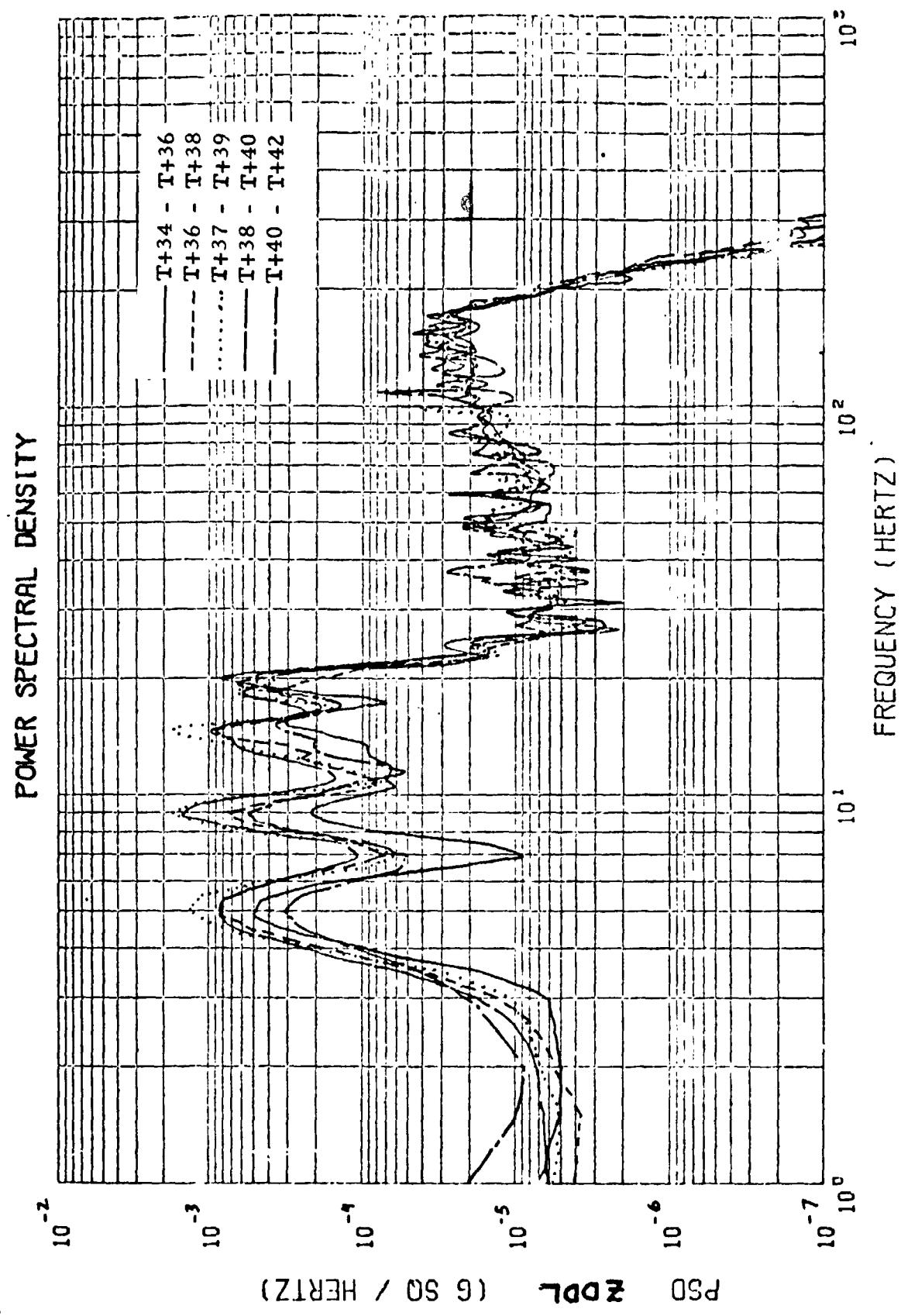


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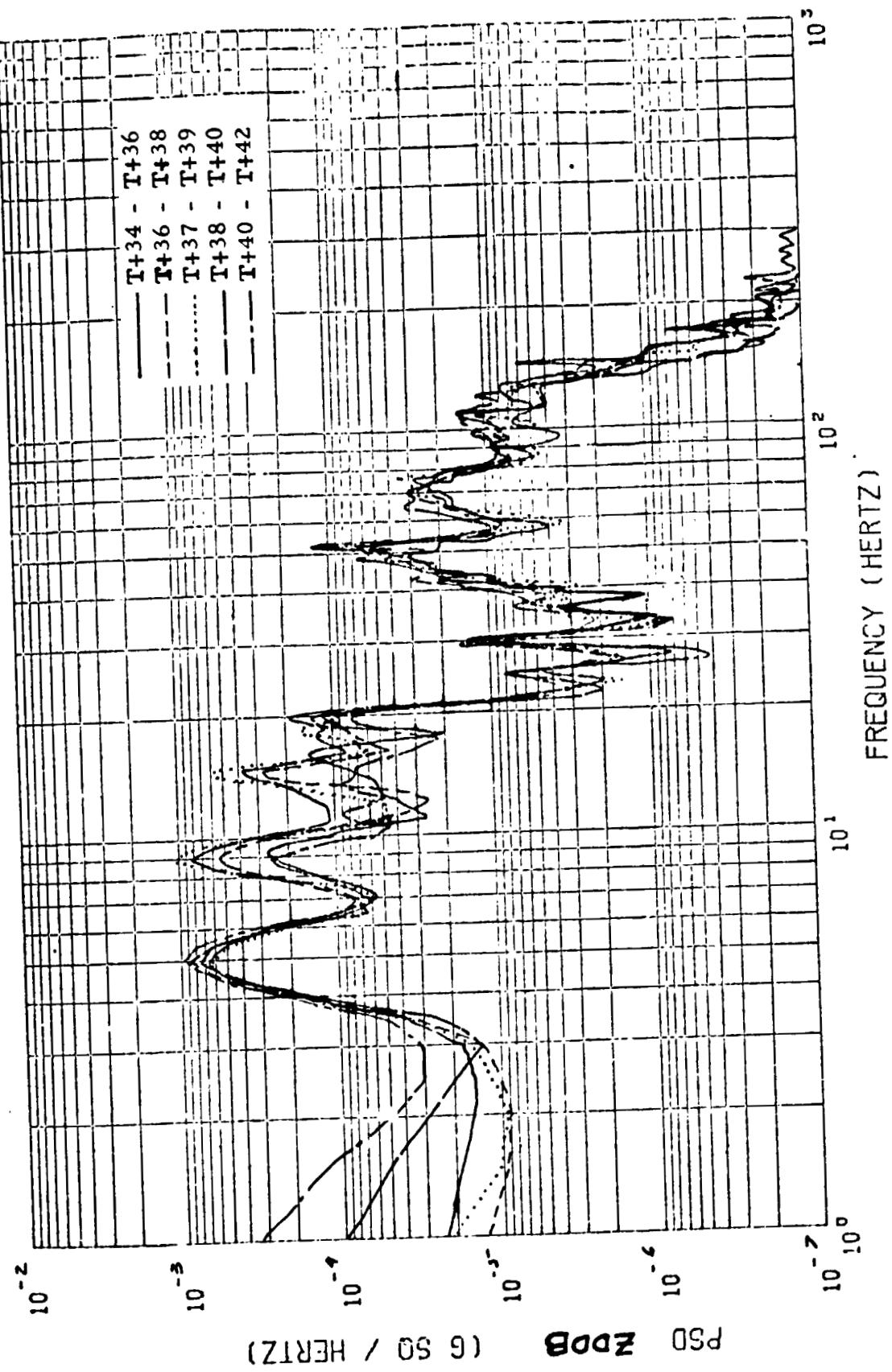


Figure 1.48 TC-4 Viking A Max Q Summary - ZDDB

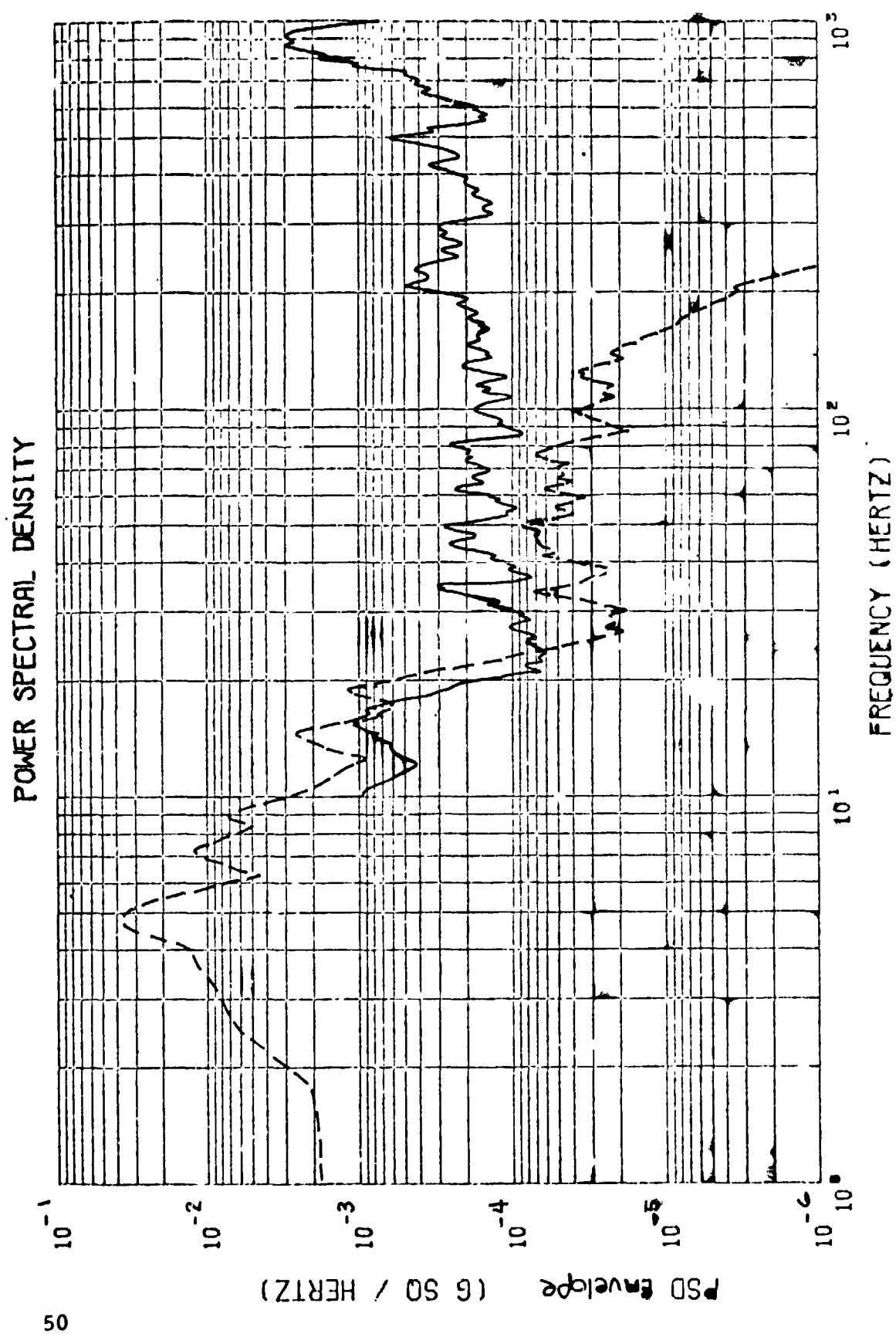
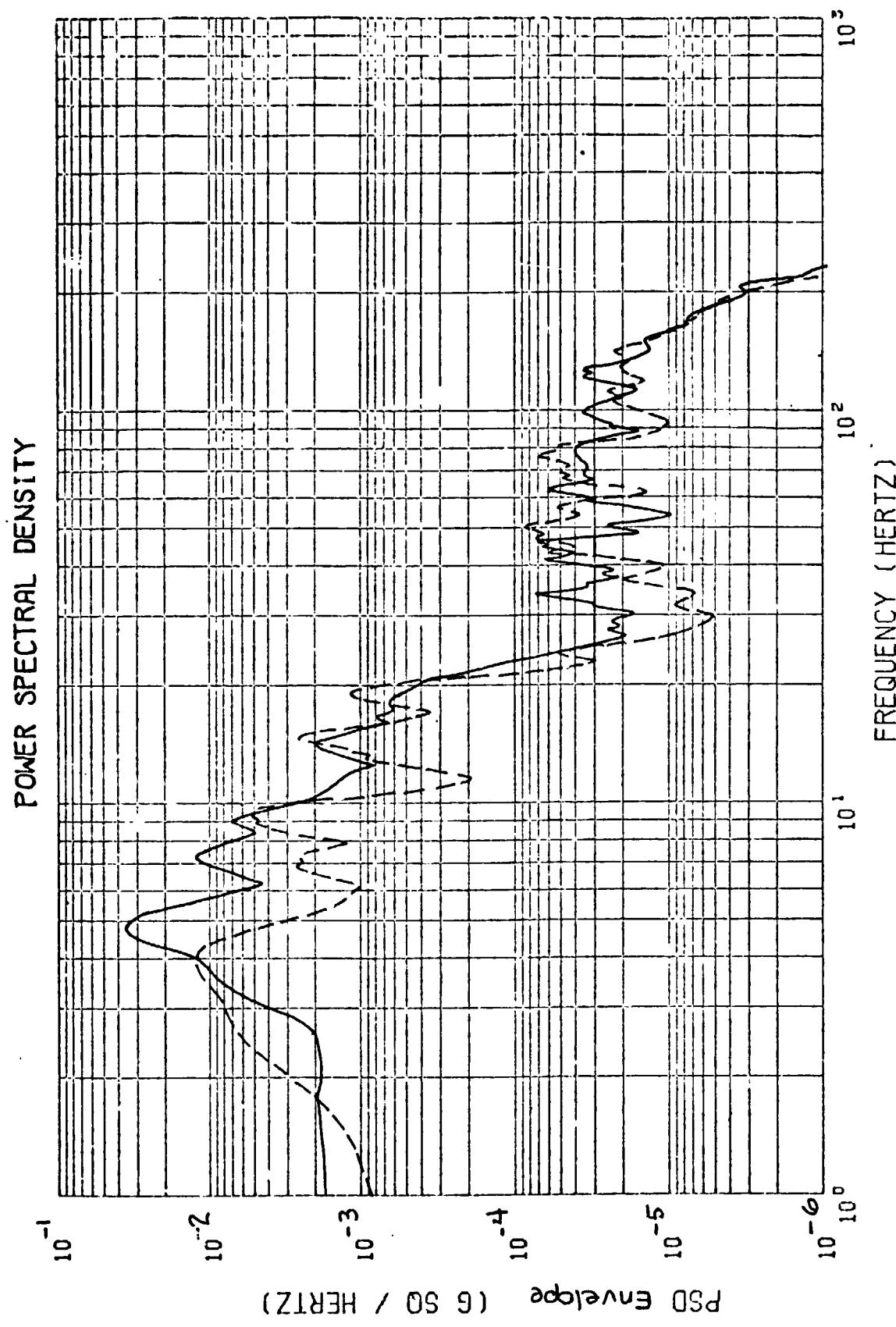
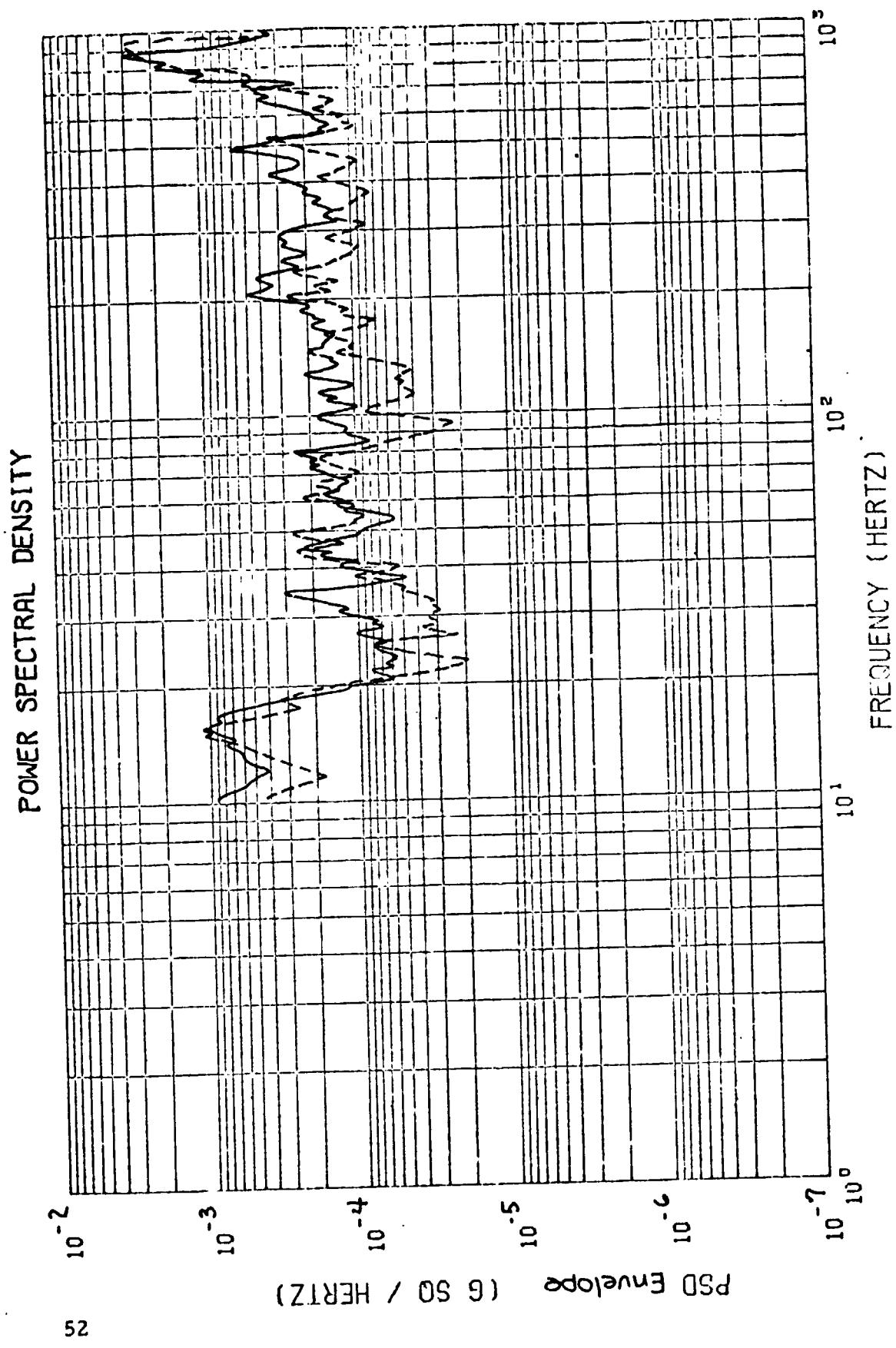


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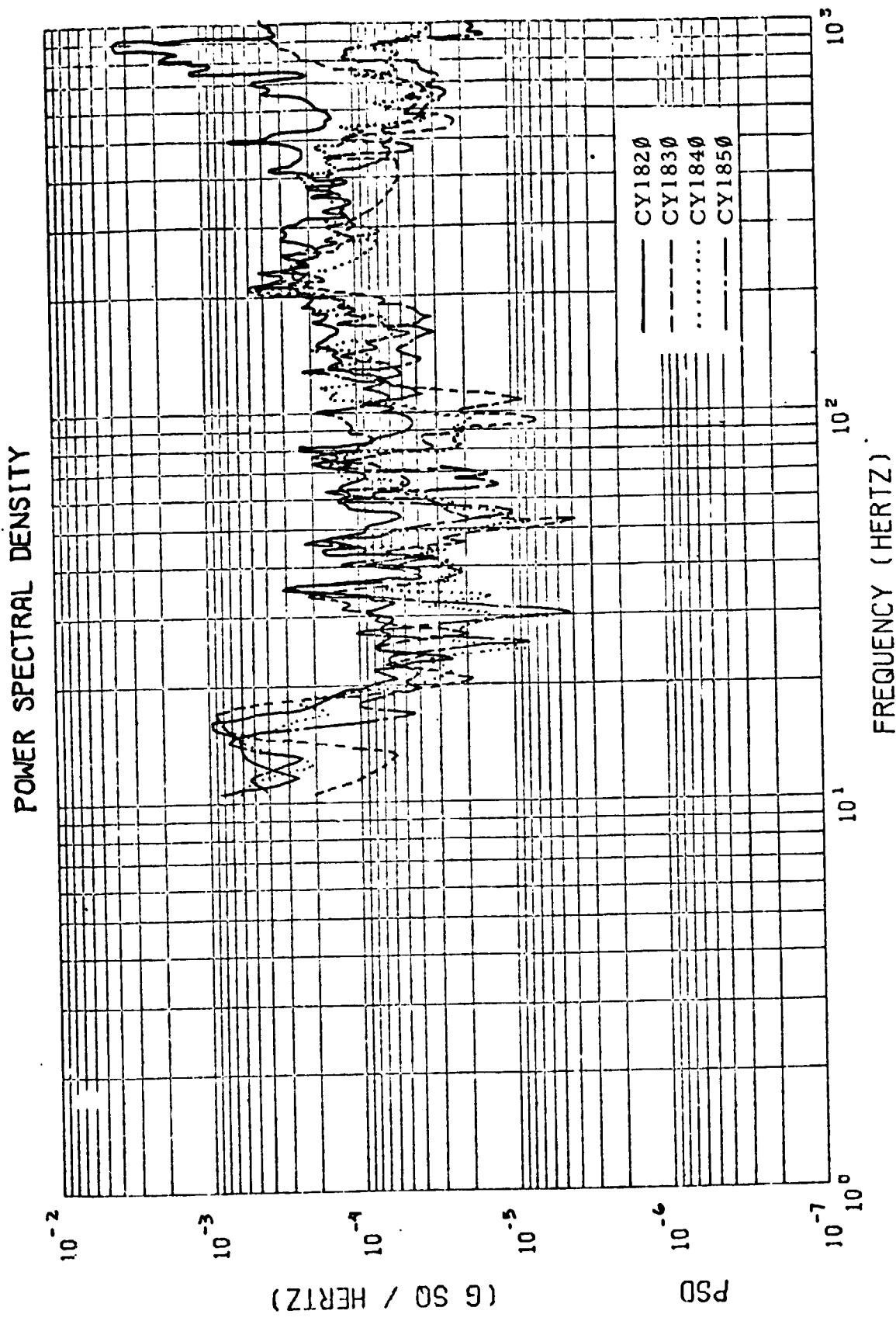
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Figure 1.50 - TC-3 Viking B Summary Data - Bus Accelerometers



Envelopes of Composite Stage 0 Ignition & Composite Max Q PSD

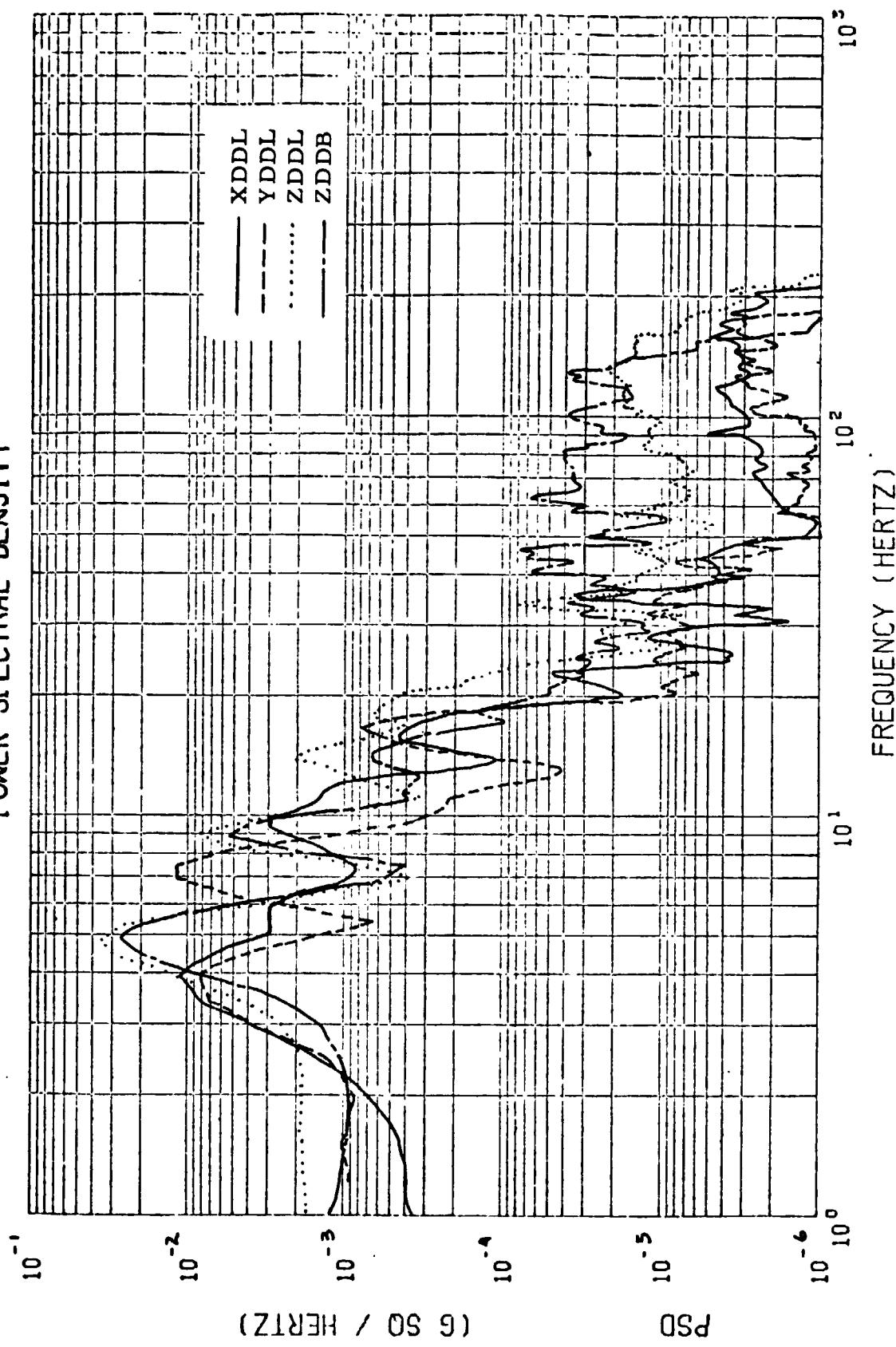
Figure 1.51 TC-3 Viking B Summary Data - VLC cg Accelerations



Envelopes of Stage 0 Ignition Composites

Figure 1.52 TC-3 Viking B Summary Data Bus Accelerometers

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Envelopes of Stage 0 Ignition Composites

Figure 1.53 TC-3 Viking B Summary Data, VLC cg Accelerations

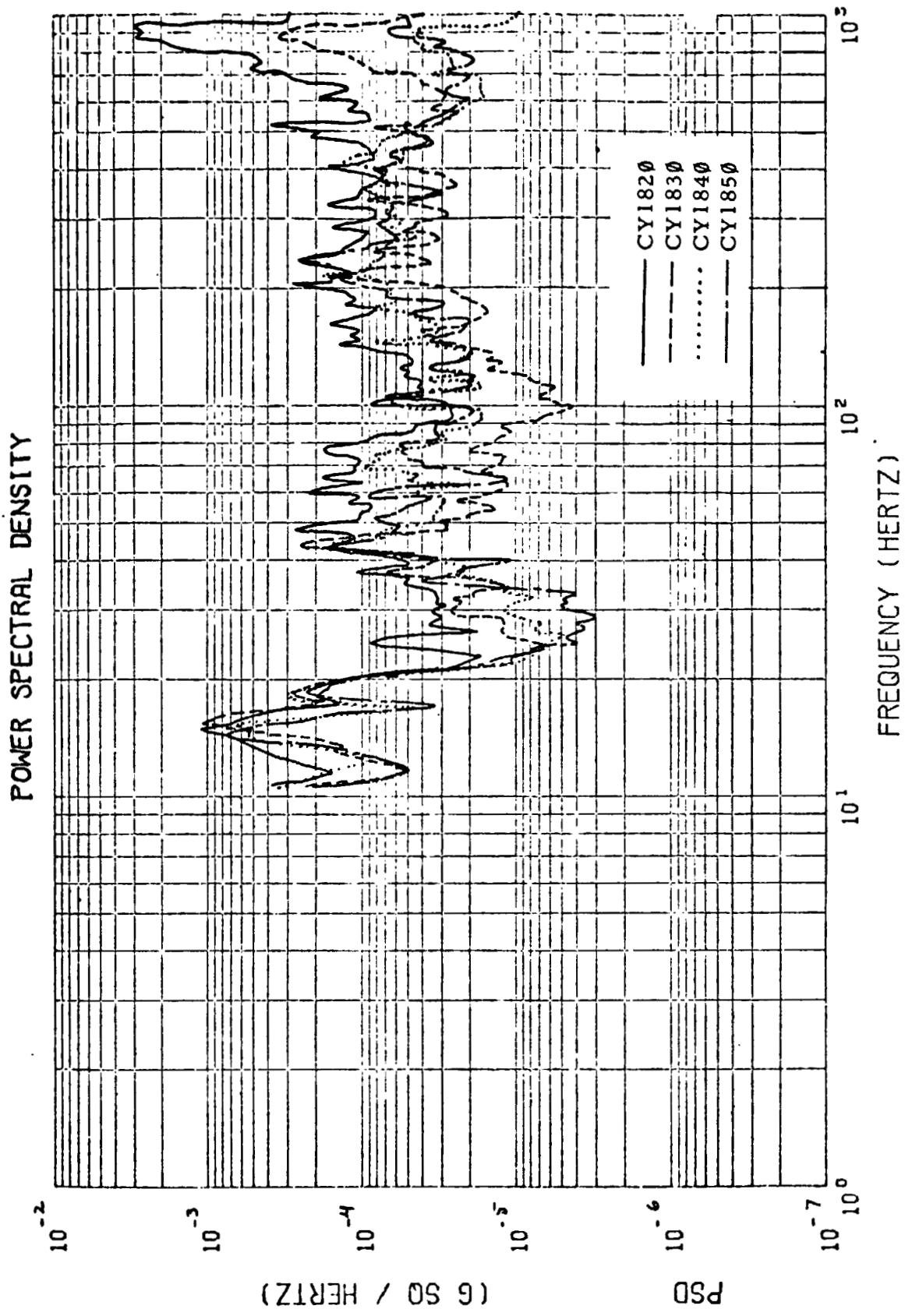
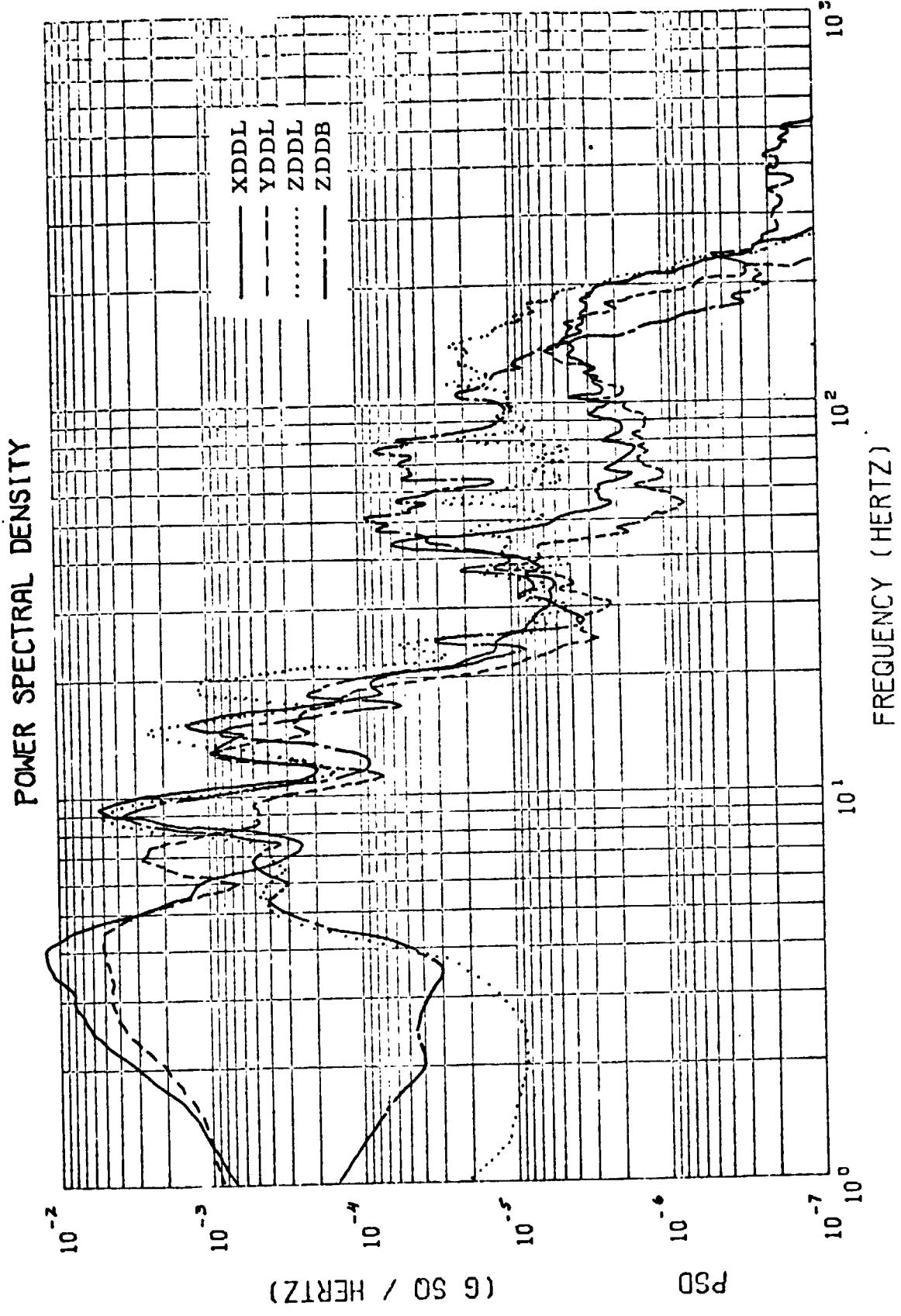


Figure 1.54 TC-3 Viking B Summary Data - Bus Accelerometers
Envelopes of Max Q Composite Plots



Envelopes of Max Q Composite Plots

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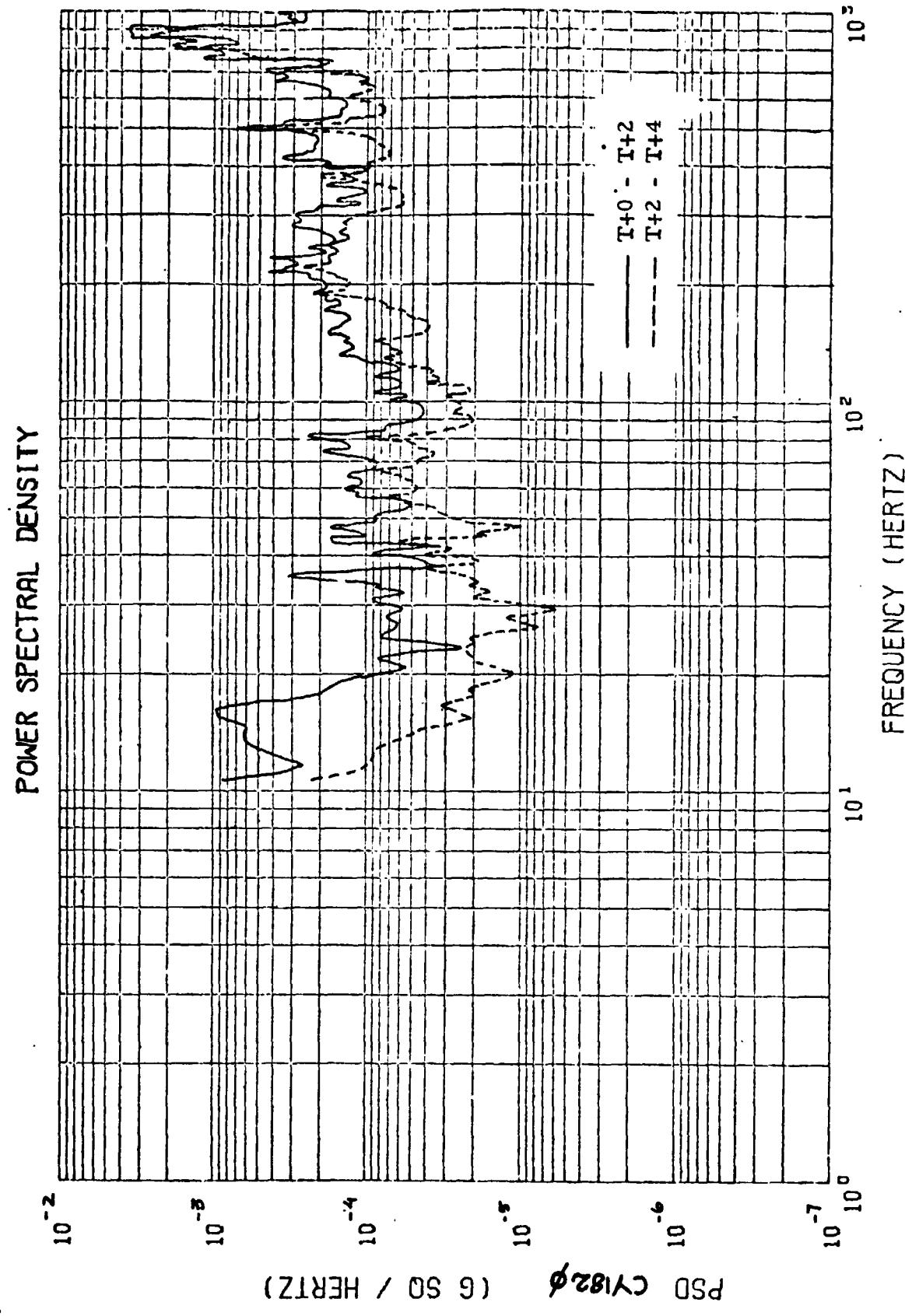


Figure 1.56 TC-3 Viking B Stage 0 Ignition Summary CY1820

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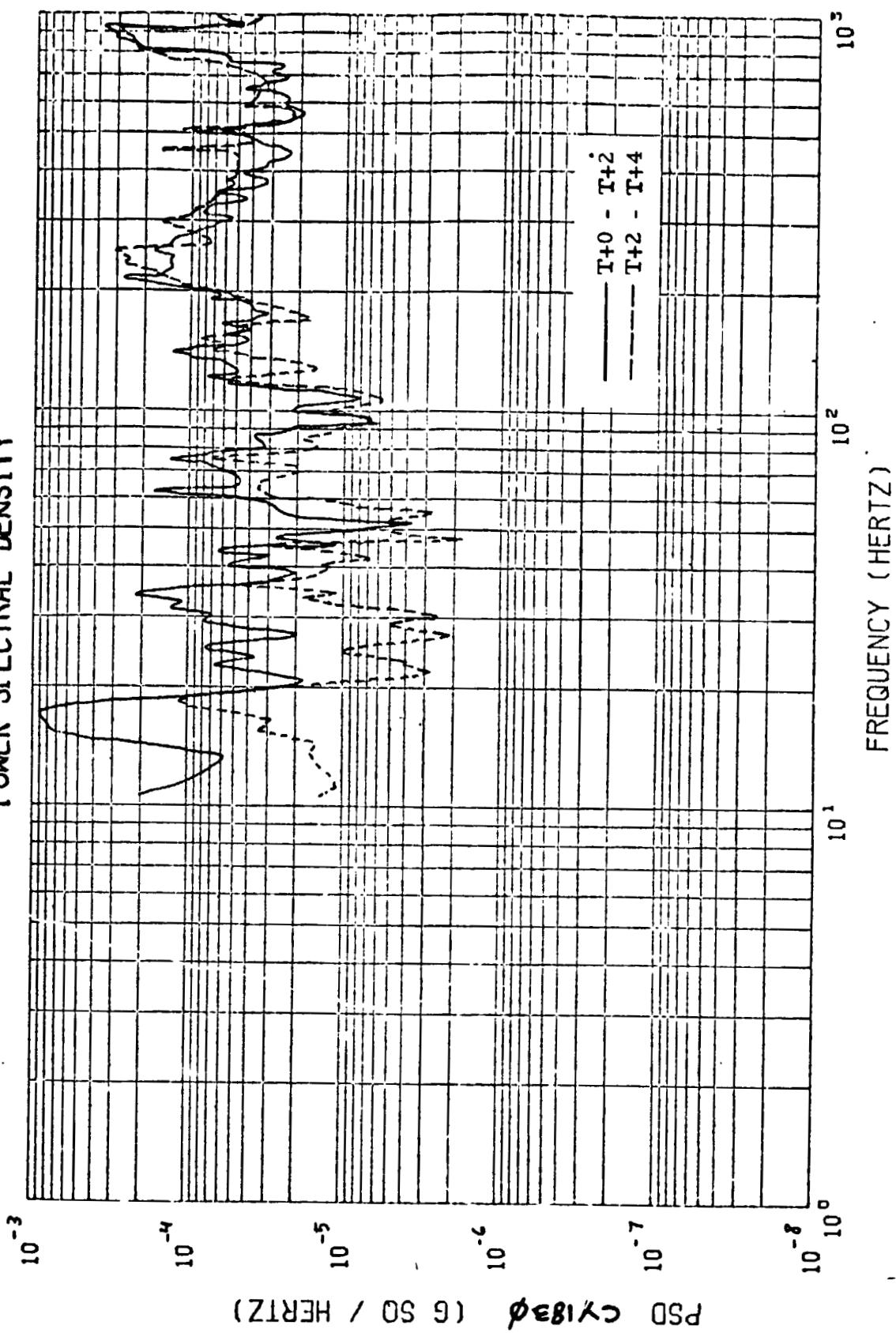


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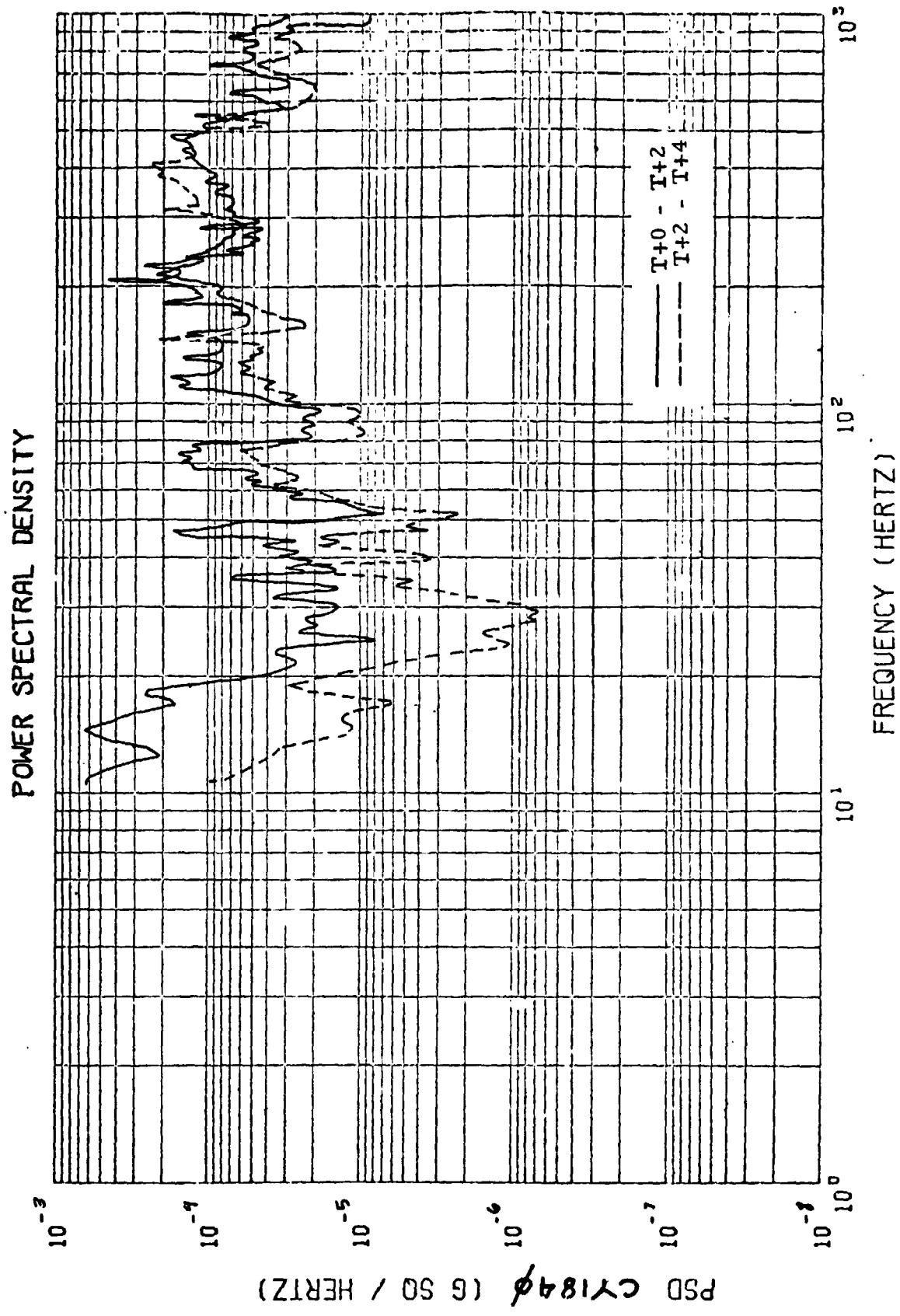


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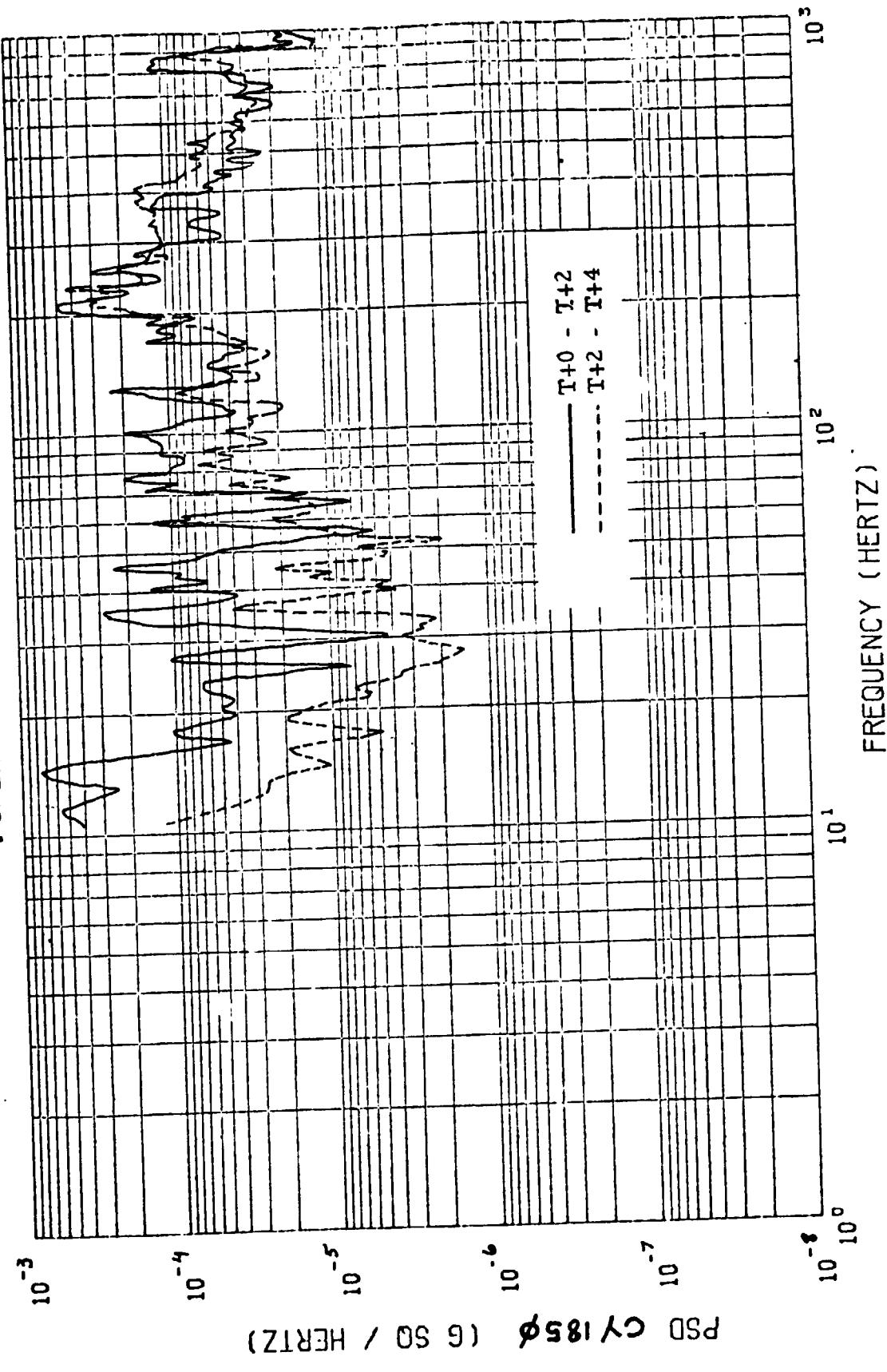


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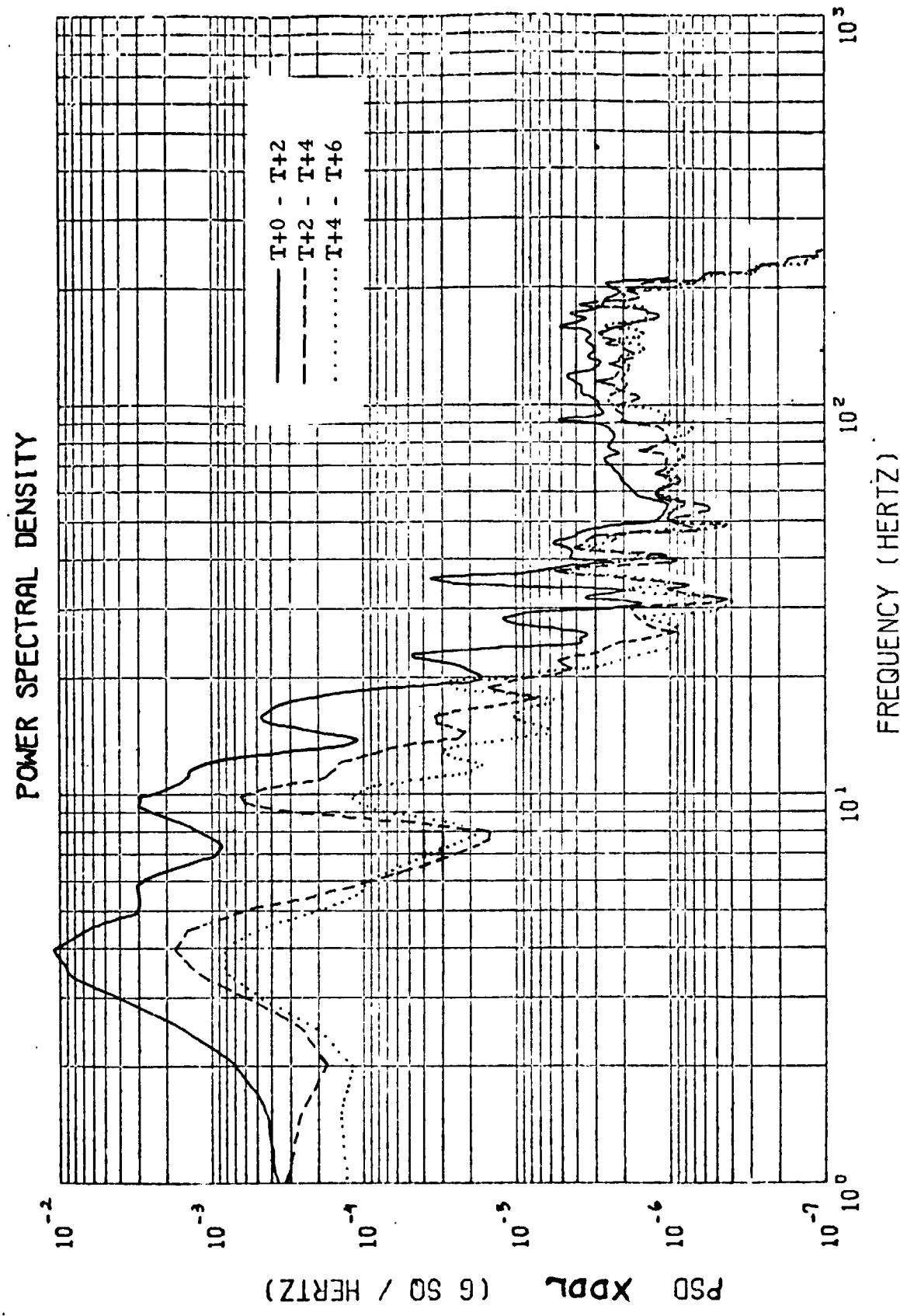


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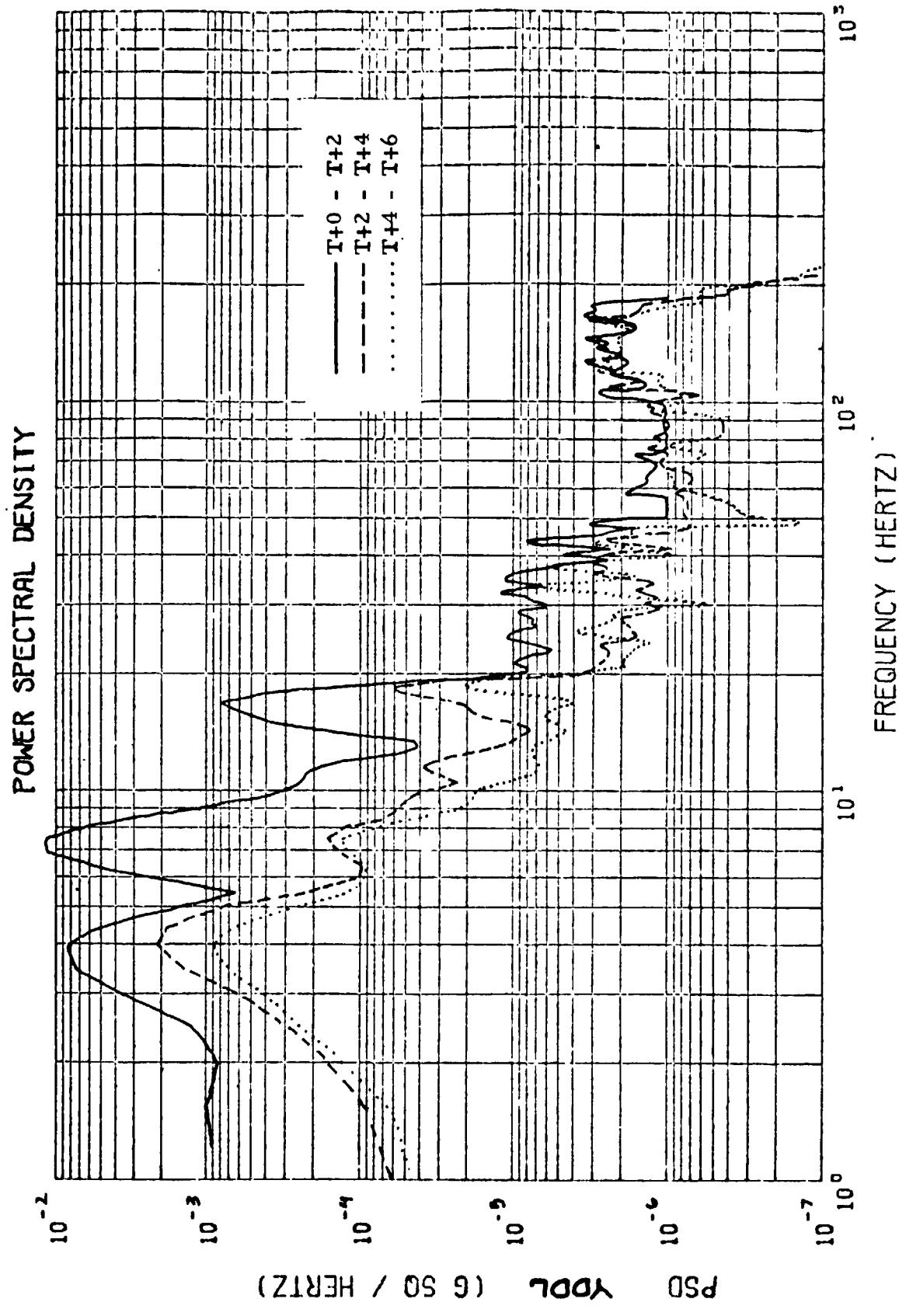


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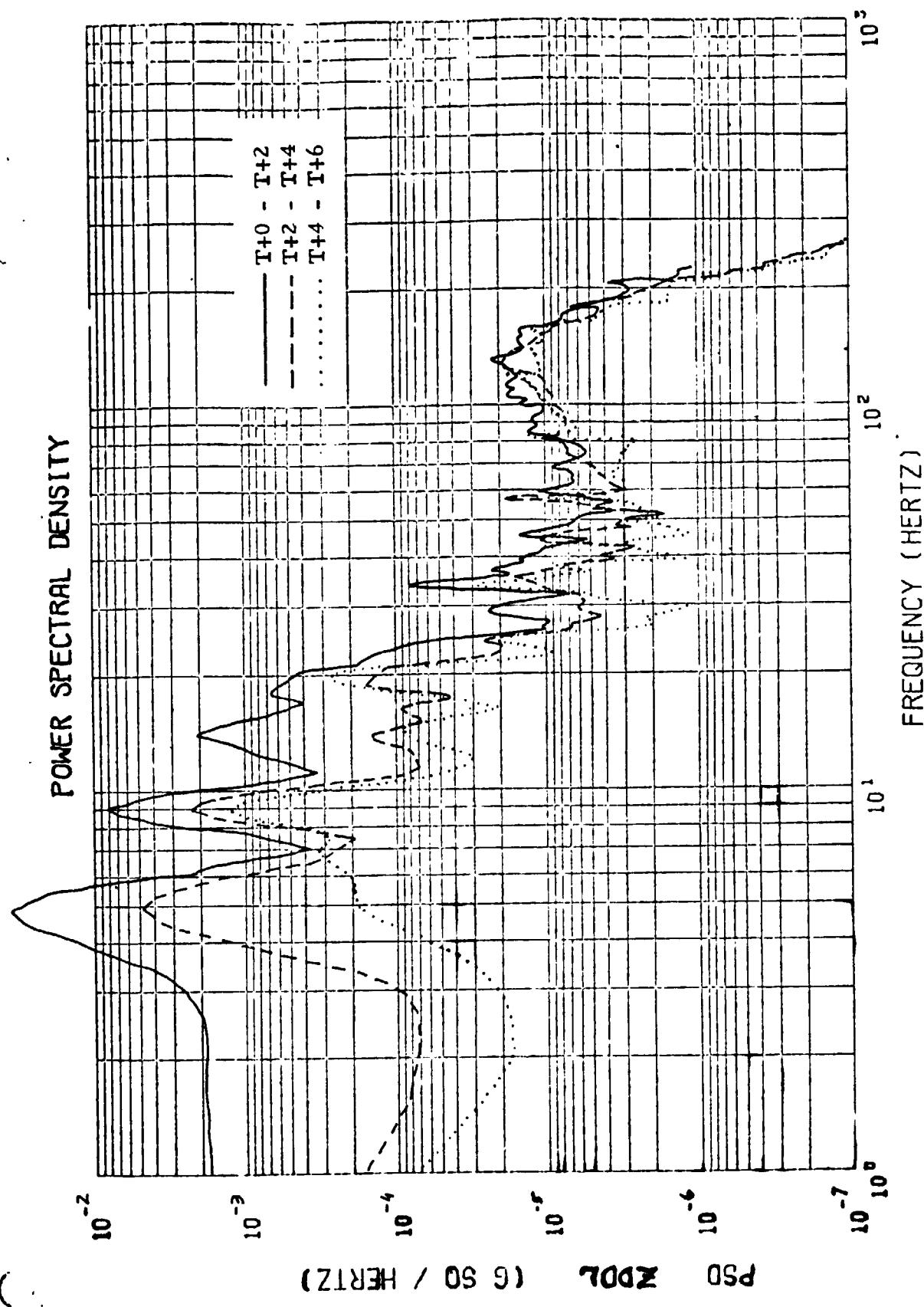


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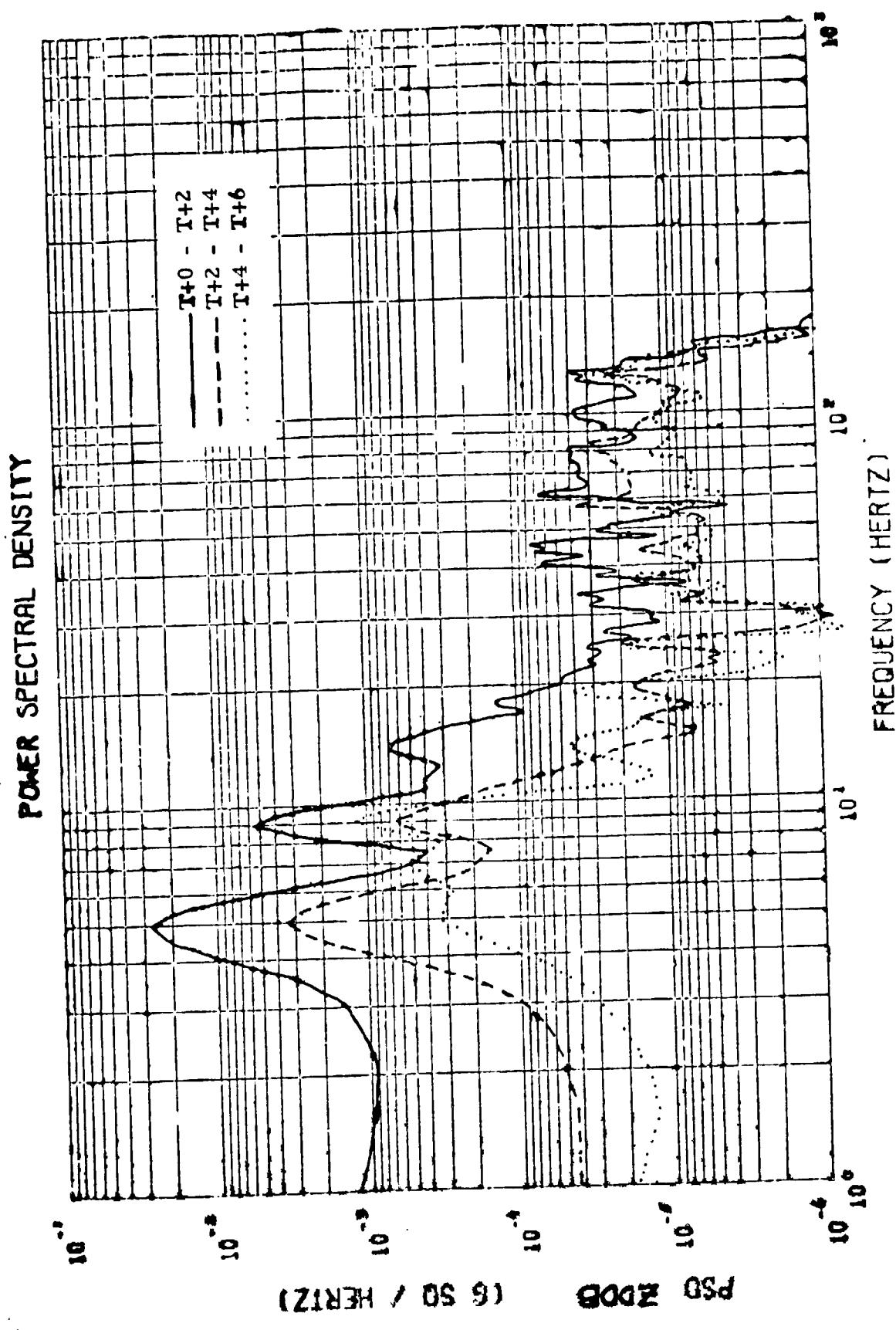


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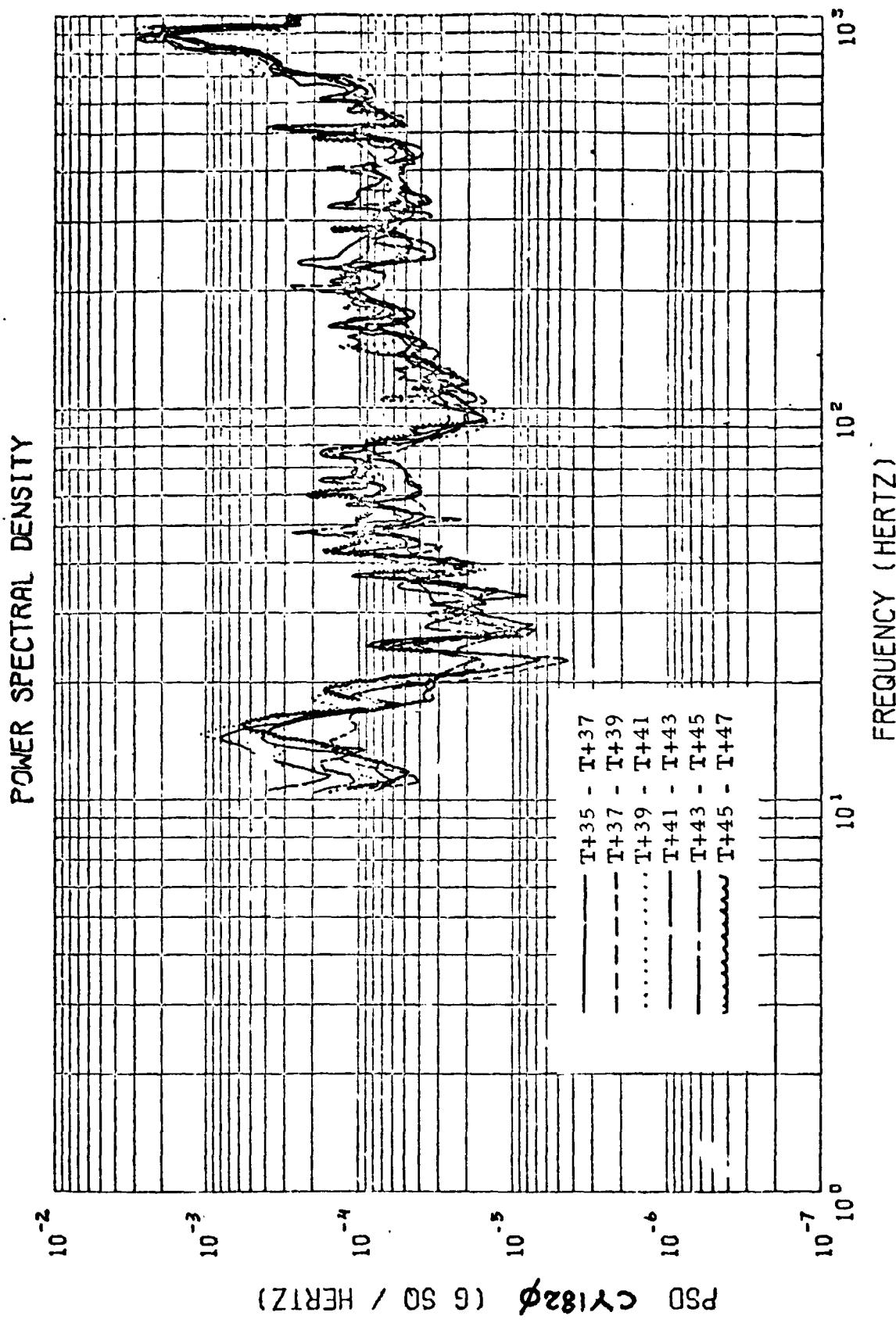


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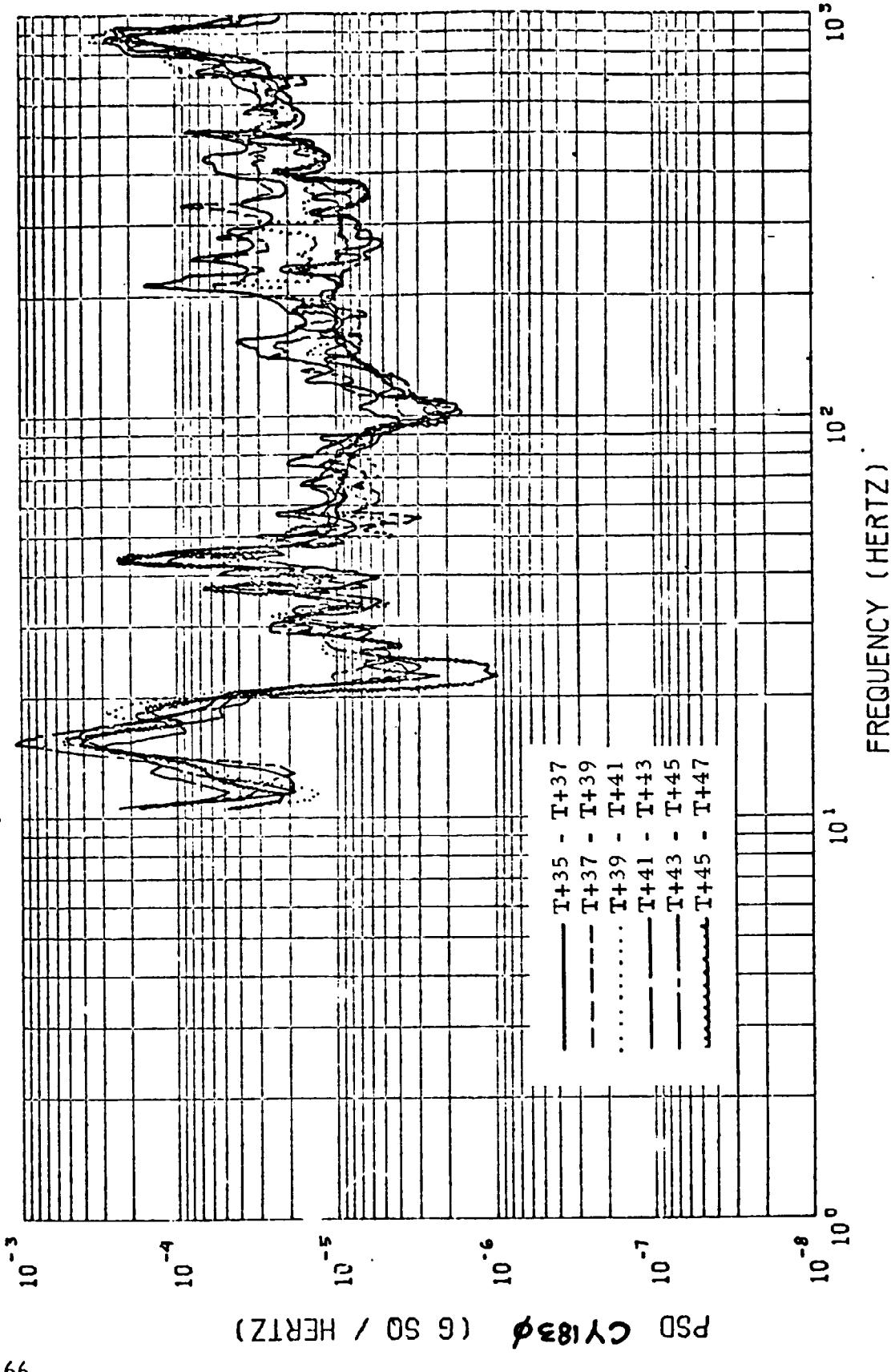


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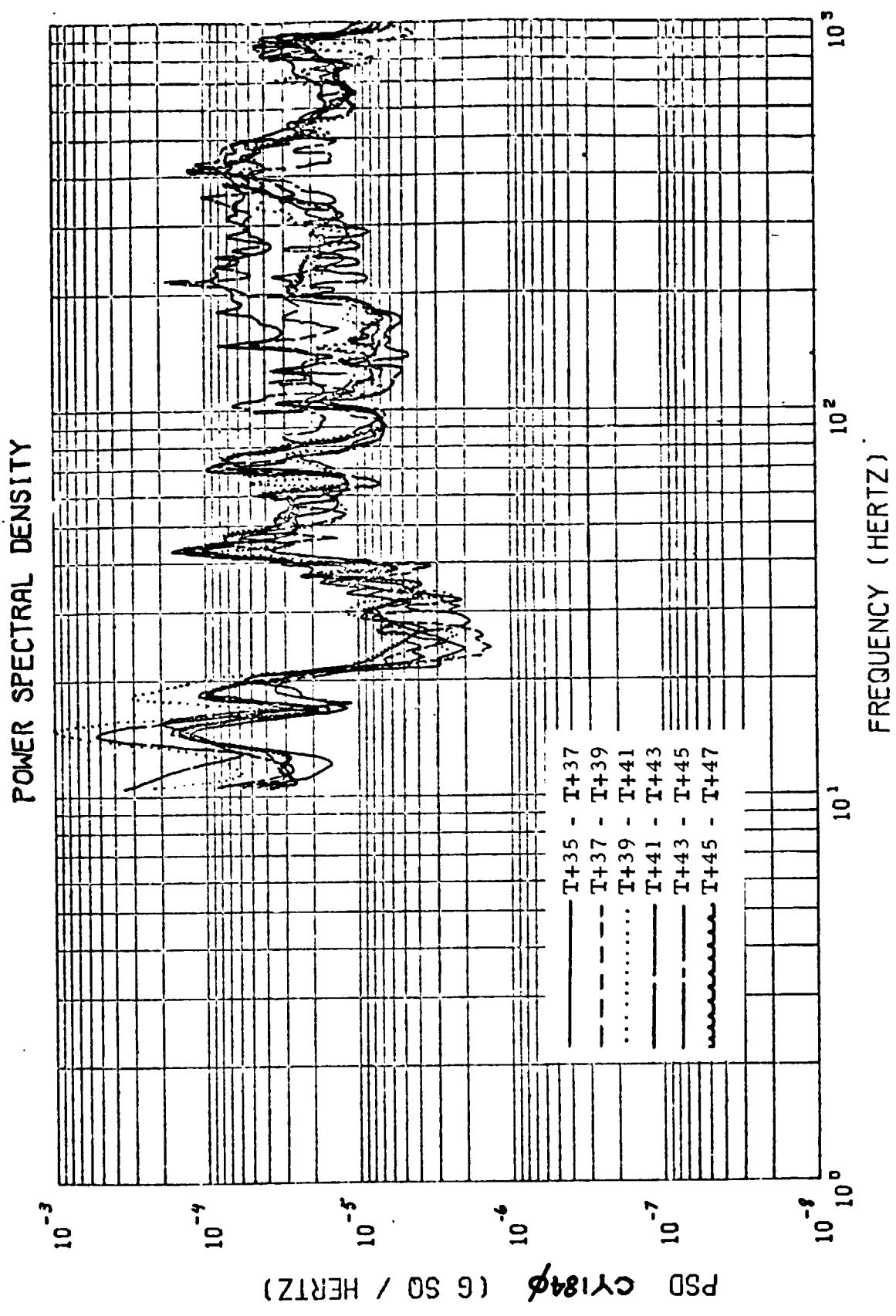


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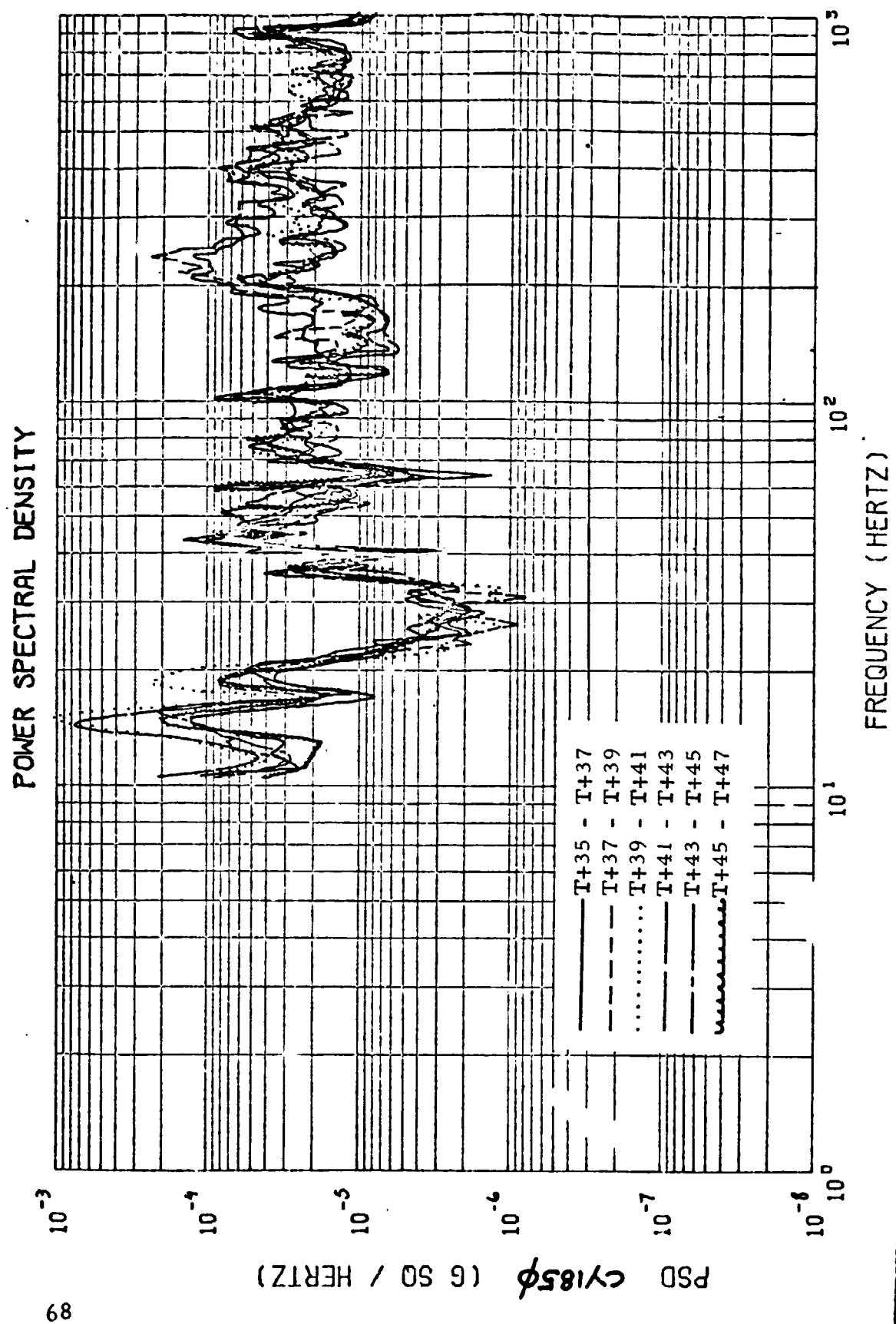


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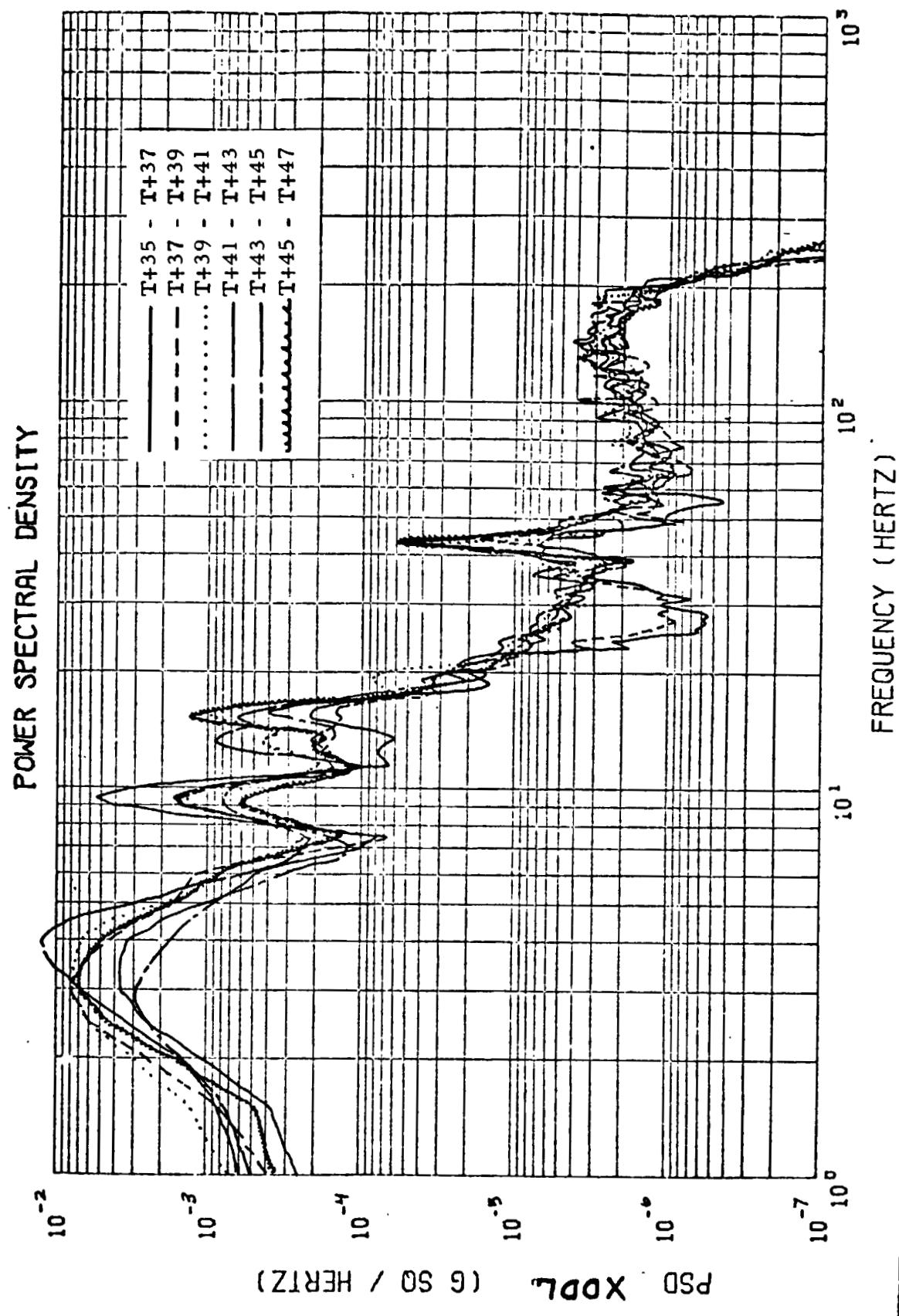


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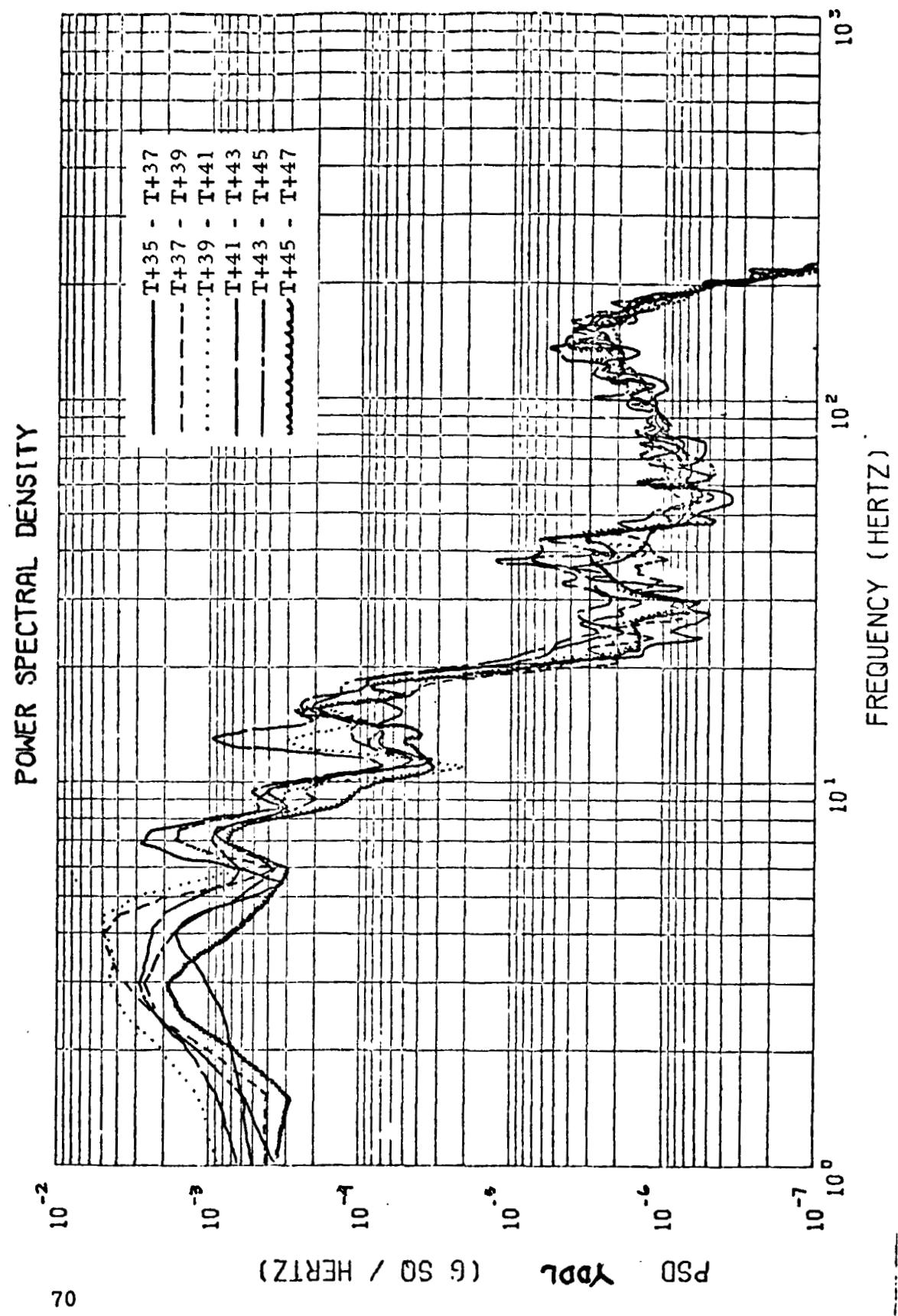


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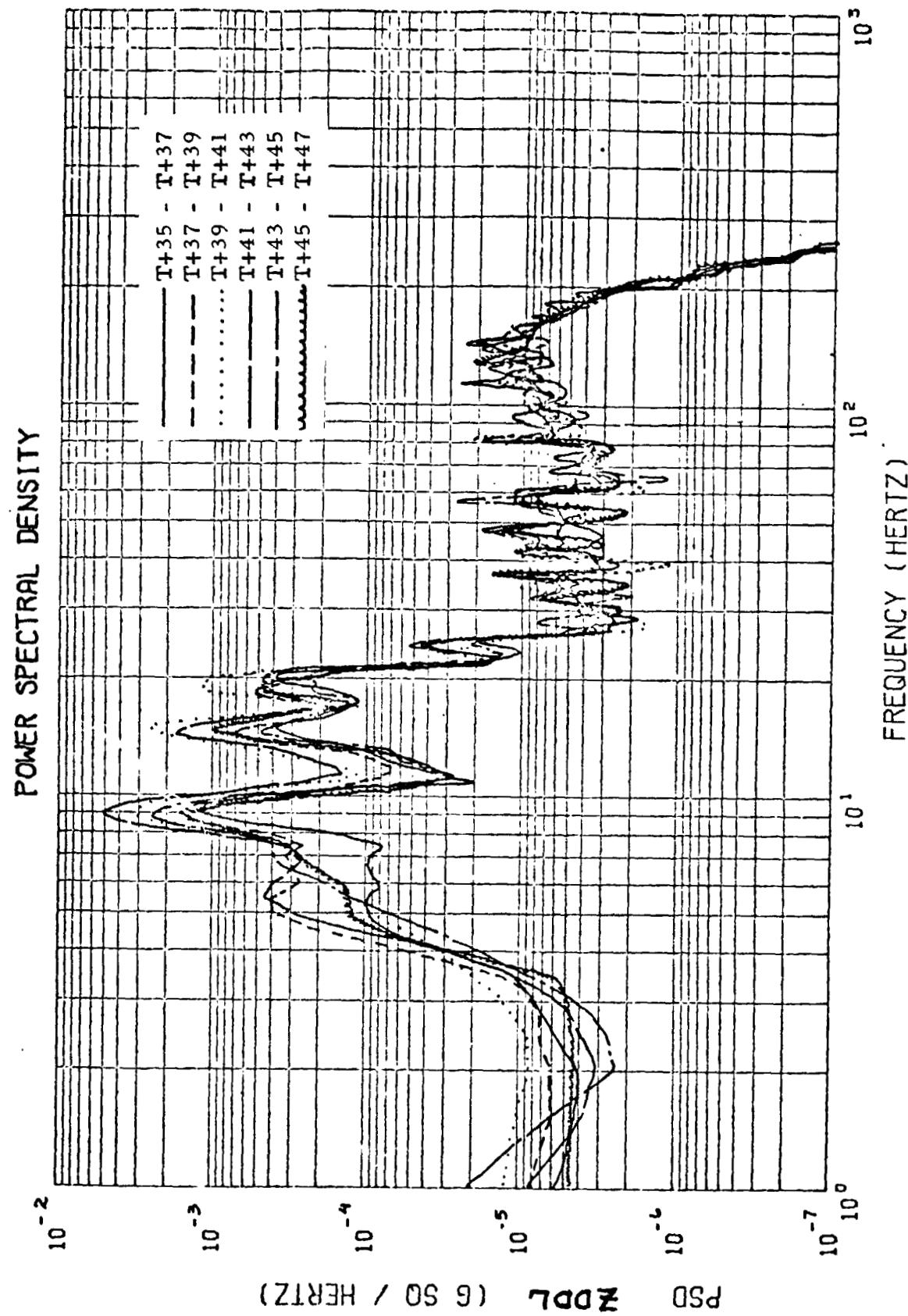


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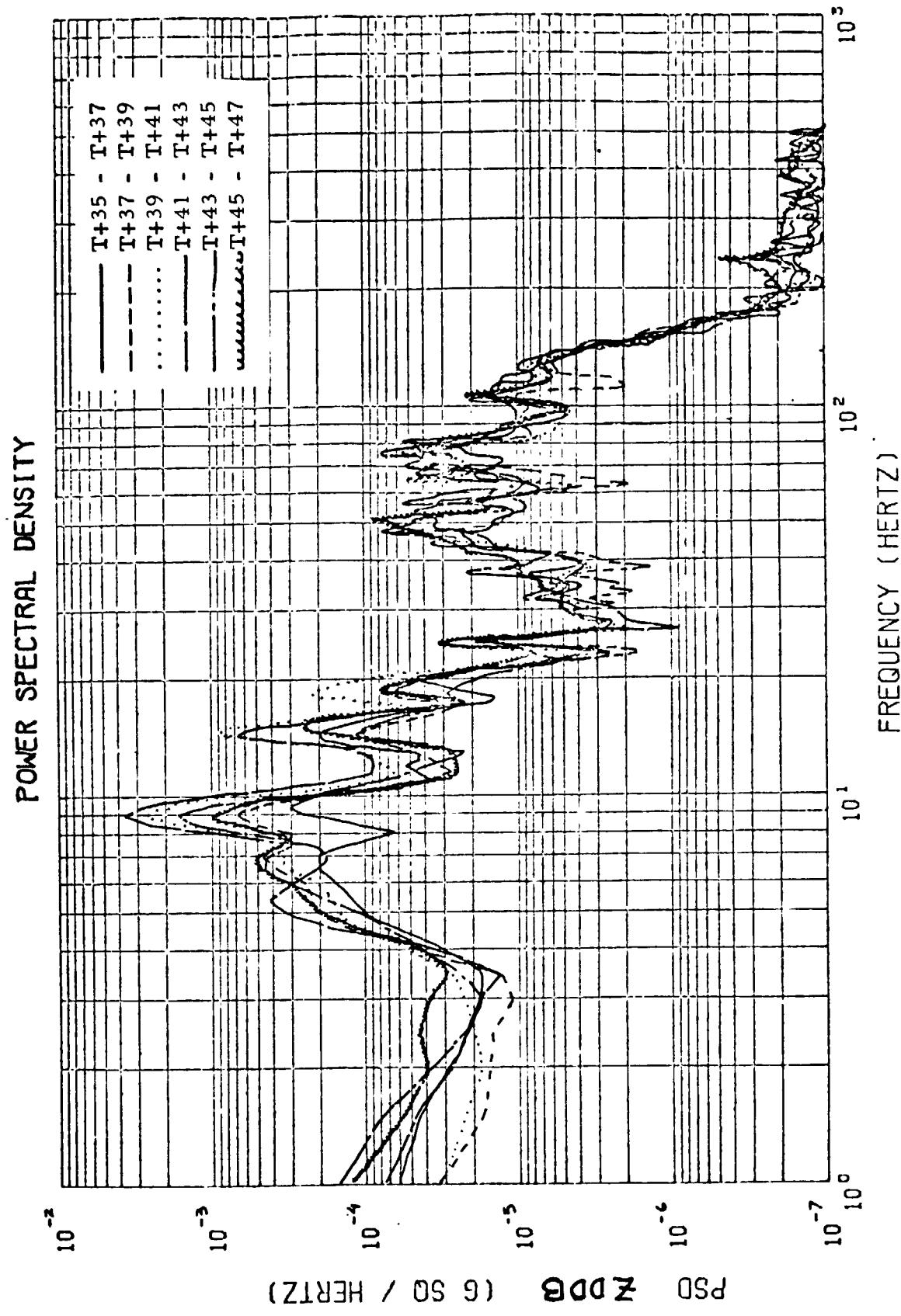


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